

CHILDREN OF DISOBEDIENCE  
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Let's bow our heads in a word of prayer please. How many would like to be remembered in prayer this morning?

*Brother Lambert prays opening prayer:*

Our loving Heavenly Father, we're so thankful for the Lord Jesus Christ. And we're so thankful Lord for faith in our heart and a love Lord that just thrills our soul to think the end of the world is here and the Bridegroom is ready to come. God, I pray that not be one person here this morning under the sound of my voice, that wouldn't be not one of those that are making excuses like the multitude will father. Some said, "Lord I just married a wife" And one said, "I got a farm" And another one said, "I got two oxen and got to go try them" As brother John Martin preached that message here Lord, "What's Your Excuse" Father God we don't want to make any excuse Lord, but we want to be ready for thy soon coming. And Lord our hearts are just burning Lord on fire with love for thee to just think that we could be part of that great Bride. God how we pray that you'll help us Lord to hide the word away in our hearts, that we may not sin against thee. Dear Father we pray that you'll bless everyone here this morning and all those that are not here. We pray for your precious little Bride all over the land and all over the world, we pray for each one. All of your ministers God bless them Lord. We thank you for your sweet holy presence in our midst father. Lord we're just pour uneducated people Lord. But we're not ashamed of the gospel its the power of Christ. Oh, God! We're so thankful Lord, to be able to assemble ourselves together this morning, in freedom of religion. We know that soon this privilege will be taken away, but we thank you for it this morning. Now Lord bless the word. Lord we don't come here to be seen, people drive many miles not to come here, to show off a new dress or a new suit or whatever it is Lord. But we've come here because of life! We want a way of escape out of this terrible disaster that's coming upon the earth. We pray that you'll help us open up our hearts to your word now Lord. In Jesus Name. Bless the word father and bless your unworthy disciple Lord, may he speak with liberty in Jesus Name, Amen

You may be seated. I'd like to greet you this morning in the name of the lovely Lord Jesus. The most loveliest name that's ever been given.

We're very thankful to see each one here. The folks from down in Pennsylvania, we're very thankful to have you this morning. Missed not seeing your face for a few weeks, but it makes it good when we can fellowship together around this great Evening Light.

I just feel so good in my soul, that I feel if we just didn't do anything else and said amen and went home it would been good to been here.

How many appreciate the presence of Christ? (Amen) I'm so thankful. I'm sure the Lord must of blessed the brothers in the prayer meeting last night. I've been in prayer all day yesterday. I think, make a consecration and let the Holy Ghost come in. The more we can get out of our self the more the Holy Ghost can come in. How many believe that? (Amen) The more you get out of yourself and the more you get out of the way, the more of the Holy Ghost can come in.

And you have just as much of the Holy Ghost in you as you have revelation on his word. And if you don't have any revelation, you don't have any Spirit in you. You may have had it on you and around you, but you don't have it down in your soul. That's why that I appreciate revelation more than anything else that God could possibly give. We should appreciate revelation more than anything else.

*Endnote:*

*An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 1 - The Revelation Of Jesus Christ  
William Marrion Branham*

*John had the revelation, and JESUS was the Revelation, and He produced Himself right here in the Scripture — “I AM He That Was, Which Is, and Shall Come, the Almighty. Amen.” If revelation is beyond you, look up and seek God for it. **That is the only way you are ever going to get it. A revelation has to come from God. It never comes by human, natural endowments, but by Spiritual enduement.** You can even memorize the Scripture, and though that is wonderful, that won't do it. **It has to be a revelation from God. It says in the Word that no man can say that Jesus is the Christ except by the Holy Ghost. You have to receive the Holy Ghost and then, and only then, can the Spirit give you the revelation that Jesus is the Christ: God, the Anointed One. No man knows the things of God save the Spirit of God and he to whom the Spirit of God reveals them. WE NEED TO CALL ON GOD FOR REVELATION MORE THAN ANYTHING ELSE IN THE WORLD.** We have accepted the Bible, we have accepted the great truths of it, but it still is not real to most people because the revelation by the Spirit is not there. The Word has not been quickened. The Bible says in II Corinthians 5:21 that we have become the righteousness of God by our union with Jesus Christ. Did you get it? It says that **WE ARE THE VERY RIGHTEOUSNESS OF GOD HIMSELF** by being **IN CHRIST**. It says that He (Jesus) became **SIN** for us. It does not say He became sinful, but became **SIN** for us that by our union with Him we might become the **RIGHTEOUSNESS** of God. If we accept the fact (and we must) that He literally became **SIN** for us by His substitution for us, then we must also accept the fact that we by our union with Him have become the **VERY RIGHTEOUSNESS** of God. To reject one is to reject the other. To accept the one is to accept the other. Now we know the Bible says that. It can't be denied. But the revelation of it is missing. It is not real to the majority of God's children. It is just a good verse in the Bible. **BUT WE NEED TO HAVE IT MADE ALIVE TO US. THAT WILL TAKE REVELATION.***

The prophet of God once said, “That of all the great miracles that he seen Christ do in his ministry, he appreciated Christ giving him a revelation of the word more than anything else. And I believe with all my heart that's the only thing that's going to stand in this hour is a divine revelation down in the soul.

See, man is very religious. I pass by the Catholic church down here, I call it the Great Dane church, it's the Notre Dame. I kinda got mixed up preaching one night and called it the Great Dane. That's a dog you know. I thought well, that's the way it is when your ignorant, you know you'll say anything like that. And people started laughing, I didn't know what they was laughing about. I got to thinking about it after I found out about it, and said, “Well that wasn't wrong,

that's right" That's right, that's what the Bible called all these false religion's, dogs. Dum dogs that can't bark.

*Isaiah 56:10-12-Reference quote*

*10 His watchmen are blind: **they are all ignorant, they are all dumb dogs, they cannot bark; sleeping, lying down, loving to slumber.***

*11 Yea, they are greedy dogs which can never have enough, and they are shepherds that cannot understand: they all look to their own way, every one for his gain, from his quarter.*

*12 Come ye, say they, I will fetch wine, and we will fill ourselves with strong drink; and to morrow shall be as this day, and much more abundant.*

There's no such thing as a Baptist Church, Methodist Church, Presbyterian Church, Pentecostal Church, because those are lodges. Anything that you join is a lodge.

*Endnote:*

*63-0119 - The Way Of A True Prophet*

*William Marrion Branham*

*155 I'd say this in the Name of the Lord: The very God that this nation is supposed to represent will destroy this nation. He'll destroy these churches. The God of Heaven will send down His wrath in judgment and destroy these churches, so-called churches. Remember, you take my word. 156 **THERE IS NOBODY CAN JOIN THE CHURCH. You join a lodge. You don't join a Church. YOU'RE BORN IN A CHURCH. See? You join the Methodist lodge, Baptist lodge, Catholic lodge, Pentecostal lodge. But you're born into the Church of the living God; and that's what He's coming after, that Church. So, we have lodges, not Churches. Anything can gather in that lodge, hypocrites and everything else.** But I'll let you know this right now, according to the Word, there's not one hypocrite in the Church of the living God. There's nothing There but saints.*

So, we can say that this morning and get by with it. But there'll come a day when I'll make a statement like that and be called to be shot on the spot or hung or your head cut off. But I'll still say it anyway.

Christians don't die, they just pass onto another life, you know. They got an old saying, "Old soldiers never die, they just pass away." Well, Christians don't die either they just pass, from this land to a better land. And so, when you say, "I'm gonna kill a Christian." Why you're just saying, "I'm going to take you into the presence of God." Death has no fear to a Christian. Christian... you know a Christian doesn't fear at all. He doesn't fear sickness, he doesn't fear if he's laid off. He doesn't fear his neighbors, he doesn't fear his enemies. He just has no fear outside of fearing how he's gonna please the Lord Jesus. Now I think that's wonderful, isn't it? (Amen)

We're living in an hour when nations are fearing, trembling. "Man's hearts are failing for fear and perplexity of nations, earthquakes and divers places."

*Luke 21:25-26-Reference quote:*

*5 And there shall be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity; the sea and the waves roaring;*

*26 Men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth: for the powers of heaven shall be shaken.*

*Luke 21:11-Reference quote:*

*11 And great earthquakes shall be in divers places, and famines, and pestilences; and fearful sights and great signs shall there be from heaven.*

And their predicting a great famine, a worldwide famine by 1972. And they're having a terrible time, the air's polluted and the waters polluted and the sea is polluted the oceans are polluted. Now their polluting the outer space. So, man has just ruined everything.

I'm so thankful that the Lord Jesus is coming soon children, to set up a new form of government. There'll be no air pollution there, the water will clear up, the land will clear up and it'll be wonderful. But man has tried to give us a utopia, and a millennium here. And you can see what it amounts to, is death! That's why everything is death. Everything has death to it.

You take long time ago; see they didn't realize Satan was moving his headquarters from France over to Hollywood California. Nobody wasn't spiritual enough to pay attention to that, outside of the men of God. People wasn't spiritual enough to see what that was going to do to our country when they started making (*movies*) films in Hollywood. Now, look what's happen. Look what it's done? Its Drove all the teenagers crazy and the parents crazy.

Used to be, as Brother Branham said, "Used to say, Poor ole mommy sittin home and daddy's out drunk tonight. Now it's poor ole daddy sittin at home and its mommy out drunk." See, what it is you can't hardly find a woman that's got any character now. You can't even find any teenagers with enough now. See, everything is just polluted and corrupted and rotten. And you know what? Pretty soon the flesh through sin and all this fall out and everything, germs in the air...I'm just not... I know what I'm talking about! The flesh is gonna fall right off teenagers. You'll be walking along and all at once, the cheek the flesh on the cheek just fall right off. The flesh is not gonna hold...not be able to hold on their bones. And the birds of the air...You say, "Now where did you hear that at?" The Bible said it would be. The bible said, "That the birds of the air would eat the flesh of captains and mighty men" I don't care how mighty you are; you can be the President.

*Revelation 19:17,18-Reference quote:*

*17 And I saw an angel standing in the sun; and he cried with a loud voice, saying to all the fowls that fly in the midst of heaven, Come and gather yourselves together unto the supper of the great God;*

*18 That ye may eat the flesh of kings, and the flesh of captains, and the flesh of mighty men, and the flesh of horses, and of them that sit on them, and the flesh of all men, both free and bond, both small and great.*

Endnote:

54-0719A - God's Provided Way Of Healing  
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**44 But look, friend, the time is coming, that when there is rising up a church. If we can't have faith for Divine healing, how are we going to have for the rapture? We've got to move out, friend. We've got to get out of this old, slow, church condition that we're in. Step out. Launch out. Cut the shorelines, and get out into somewhere, where you lose all senses of fear and doubt, out there where all things are possible, brother, just as free as it can be. You've got your sail set towards heaven, and nothing can stir you no way. You're gone that way; that's all. Nothing can harm you. Now, that's the kind of a church it's going to be, one of these days, according to the Bible. Where the Angel poured out His wrath and diseases broke out, and men even rotted in their flesh where they were standing. And the fowl of the air come down and eat off of the shoulders, and eat the flesh of chief-captains, and great mans, and presidents, and warriors, and diplomats, and potentates, and everything. Eat... BUT THE ANGEL WAS GIVEN CHARGE, "DON'T YOU COME NEAR ANYONE THAT'S GOT THE SEAL OF GOD IN THEIR FOREHEAD." IT'S GOING TO BE A... ONE OF THESE DAYS DIVINE HEALING'S GOING TO BE A GREAT THING AMONG THE PEOPLE. So let's get in condition. God wants us... You say, "Well, Brother Branham, you say, 'Let us.'" That's what God's a waiting on. God... We're waiting on Jesus to return, and Jesus is waiting on us. You say, "Well, how, what can we do about it?" The Bible said the hour has come, and His Bride has made herself ready (Hallelujah.), made herself ready.**

I tell you, children you better flee to Christ, you'd better flee to Christ. You ain't got no future. You let the devil try to tell you because your young you want to sow a little oats and have a little fun. That's the devil speaking to you.

Outside of Jesus Christ you don't have any future. Who would even want to be here another five years from now? Why, no sir there's nothing left outside of Jesus Christ. How many want the Lord Jesus to come soon, see? (Amen) Well, if you don't you're in terrible condition. The devils already got you! If you're not loving his appearing, you're in the clutches of Satan right now, see. All that's left for you is taking you right to a lake of fire. Everything that the devil gives you is death! Did you know that? He'll paint it up, thinking that you can go out and have a little fun. Listen to rock and roll music and go out to a few little dances. That ain't living! That's dying, you're dying right there because "the wages of sin is DEATH, but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord." Everything that the devil gives you is death. You just listen to that boogey-woogey rock-n-roll music a little bit and watch what happens to your soul, just pollutes your soul. What's all that music doing, driving people totally insane.

*Romans 6:23-Reference quote:*

*23 For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

What's television doing? Driving people totally insane. Don't you realize what your children look at with their eye and what they hear with their ears has a great effect on what they'll be when they grow up.

Don't you know that Russia an ungodly nation has got more sense than United States ever thought of ever having, they won't let all those rotten filthy things be on television in Russia. When they brought Gorbachev and all of them out in California in Hollywood, you know what the Russian's said? They said, "Get us out of such an immoral place as this. We Russian people don't strip are women off naked!" Said, "Show us something else here in America!"

What a rebuke to a Christian nation. Why, this nation ain't no more a Christian then nothing, it's rotten and filthy and it's the Kingdom of Satan. Amen! You say, "You don't love your country!" Yes, I do! I loved it like the ole man said down in Kentucky, "When Amerikie was Amerikie!" Well, she ain't Amerikie anymore, she's just rotten and filthy and God's gonna burn her and make her desolate and naked with fire.

*Endnote:*

*62-0518 - Letting Off The Pressure*

*William Marrion Branham*

**99 You men who'd compromise the Word of the living God for a morsel of a denomination, shame on you.** *Let's repent. Let's ask God forgiveness. Let's not let this convention up here on this lake be an error. Let's get God with us. Let's go away from here filled with the Spirit, a burning fire in our hearts. Let's run to that Rock, the only thing that can help us. Someday your organization, and your—your friends that's persuading you out in the wrong way, even to your pastor, will perish with the world if he's letting you live like that, and tell you nothing about it. Look at them priests who claimed to be holy and sanction; Jesus said, "You're of your father the devil, and his works you do." And yet they were clean, upright men (seemed to be), but they denied the living Word. They had a form of godliness. The prophet told them, said, "The very God that you serve, He will—He will—He will consume you." The very One that you... And He did do it. 100 And let me say this tonight, the very God that America claims they believe in will be the very God that will sink her beneath the sea. She'll burn like a eternal fire. The whole world, the Christian world so-called, living in the way they do, hugging on to creeds and things like that, and denying God. No wonder their org... No wonder the revival died right out. They got to a certain spot, and then they went to bringing in this, and bringing in that, and putting millions of dollars in new educational buildings and things like that, when it never was ordained of God to do so; yet preach the Gospel.*

And I want to tell you something friends, if I didn't love you and I didn't believe that God called me for a ministry in United States with the little pension that pharaoh give me, I would move out of United States. Yes, sir! Anybody that stay's here in United States can't read the hand writing on the wall. It would be better if everyone of us to move to Israel. That's right! That' right! There's the one that Gods got his hand on!

It's like a brother said to me said, "If he missed the rapture, he's gonna float on a log to Israel. Or a raft any way he could get here. He'd get over there to Israel and get out of here if he missed the rapture and he'd go over there and hide and find Moses and Elijah when their ministry started. Walk up to Elijah and say, "I sat under a man ministry just like yours" And I'd stay right there." And I said, "I'd go with thee! (Brother Lambert chuckles) If I don't make it brother, I'm going with you!"

But I have a hope I'm sure, I have a hope and a faith I'll make it! Why? Because I love him with all my heart. That song that the sister sang, was so anointed of the Lord. It just blessed my soul good.

Well, let's open our Bibles now, and pray that I might say something... Now, what are we doing? We're trying to say something that'll help you be a better soldier. We're trying to train soldiers here in this little group, to know their enemy and know how to be better trained to know the tactics of the enemy and how to get the best of him.

You know a prize fighter; he won't last too long if he just thinks he can take and absorb every blow that the devil will give him. But a prize fighter learns how to knock the blows off. And that's what we're trying to do, is to be wise as a serpent, right? (Amen) Be as wise as that serpent the devil, but be as harmless as a dove, see. That's what we need to do.

*Matthew 10:16-Reference quote:*

***<sup>16</sup> Behold, I send you forth as sheep in the midst of wolves: be ye therefore wise as serpents, and harmless as doves.***

Now, open your Bibles Ephesians 2:2. Galatians, Ephesians, Colossians.

A little brother called up from Maine that was down here, I guess he was kinda upset. He said, he was getting ready to leave to come down here this morning maybe or last night and he has many children and it's hard for him to get away. He said, "Brother Lambert do you think the Holy Ghost will fall in the morning?" I we'll I said, "Brother I look for him to fall any day." I said, "I hope he will!" The brother said, "Well, I don't know, I think I better try to make it down there." I felt so sorry for him. See, he believes that! That little brother came down here and just the devil fought him, he said, "When he started, just everything went wrong." He said, "Everything started going wrong when he started to come down here." He kept thinking about a message I preached, that he disagreed with very much on. And that was, that this message was providing an ark of safety for every person to come into to. And preaching that and tying that in with the Token see. And he said, "I fought that, but my ways are not Gods ways, my thoughts are not Gods thoughts." So, then he started to come down and said the devil just fought me so bad brother Lambert everything went wrong. Said, "I was coming down and something said to me said, why brother Lambert he don't want to be bothered with you and your children," He said, "Why, he don't even believe that you believe the message anyway!" He just kept a driving, and that thing kept talking to him you know. Then it said, "Look here your brother just lives a few miles off the interstate here in Massachusetts." Said, "Go on over there, he'd be more glad to see you then Brother Lambert." Then he started to turn off and something made him think, "Yeah but he don't believe the message." He said, "At least brother Lambert believes the message, I'll be in a lot better shape there." So, I laughed! And he said, "He come on down" And he said, "He couldn't the find the place, he just kept riding around for a hour. Then he come over and we have a house over here you know. So, we had him all fixed up, him and his family to stay over here in the parsonage next door. Then he said, "Something said to him, see didn't I tell you brother Lambert don't want to be bothered with you, just like I told you. See how he's throwing you off on somebody else." And then we got him over there and put him up in the bedroom there... He's from on a farm you know, they don't have any heat in the house in the rooms where they sleep. And Genie must of thought, well the children to keep them warm... She turned the furnace up pretty high. So, he didn't sleep all that night and he said, "The devil told him all night, See Brother Lambert turned that furnace up personally just to burn you out of there see, just to drive

you out of there.” And the poor brother was up all night the devil just tormenting him, spirits tormenting him.

And I rose up early in the morning and I knew the devil was speaking to him, you know. I said, “Now Lord, now let your divine presence find that little boy let him know something.” See! And then when I raised up on the bed that’s what I said to the Lord, you know. He come out of the house there and walked outside, and he said, “He thought, well I’ll just leave before anybody knows it and get back home, you know before Brother Lambert gets up. Real early in the morning, and he walked out and walked back to the steps there and looked out over the back and the spirit of God struck him and then all the doubts rolled away!” Then he got over to my house, and came in the room there and I begin to say something about the revelation and the Lord just come right in the room. And just his presence just floored the little boy there and he just spoke tongues and just had him a time. Then brother Shaw and them came back over, then they witnessed that the Holy spirit right in the room. So, he just believes see, he just believes that Gods gonna pour out his spirit. He’s all excited.

You know, I feel sorry for people that don’t have a church home, it’s hard. Well, that’s just the way it is in this...It’s that way for a reason, see. Why? Because you’ll go, you’ll leave everything, you’ll go and you’ll find it somewhere see, it’s made up that way. See, God don’t just put it maybe in front of your door. He gives something there, to see what you’ll give up to get it.

Now let’s read in, Ephesians 2:2. My I’ll have to hurry, hope nobody is not in a hurry.

### *Ephesians 2:2-Reading*

*<sup>2</sup> Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience:*

Now let’s bow our heads.

Father bless this scripture reading Lord and anoint the word to the heart of the believer. And let me take the word of God and drive the devil of unbelief off the minds of the people. In Jesus name, amen.

I’d like to teach just a little bit something this morning on “Children of Disobedience.” Children of Disobedience! Now that word Disobedience if you looked it up in the Greek Dictionary, Children of Disobedience that means: Children of rebellion. Children of Rebellion! Now that is what is happening in this end-time.

You’ve never seen... You take advertising. When Brother Branham preached, and sang this song on “The Wings of a Snow-White Dove” You find out the newspaper started carry doves. Life magazine started printing pictures of doves. In the newspapers and on the radio, doves, doves, doves. When he come out and spoke out on eagles, everybody put an eagle on their house. Eagles in the paper, eagles in the newspaper see. Spirits pick that up.

And then you notice in this hour where it said the scripture, I just read would be children of disobedience. And that mean’s children of rebellion, rebellious children. And we notice that, if you look at the advertisements, you’ll see all kinds of movie’s, The Rebellious Ones, The Rebellious Lady, The Rebellious Girl, the rebellious Ones, that’s all you hear, you see.

If they only knew what that was, you see. It’s just the hand writing on the wall. So, we see that it has a spiritual application. Everything that happen in the natural, like the total eclipse that means something. Now watch something happen on the earth, cause God does something in the



heavens before he does it on the earth. Everything...Because God's Bible his first Bible was in the heavens, the zodiac. Now all those things moving is a sign to the earth.

*Endnote:*

*50-0815 - Who Is God?*

*William Marrion Branham*

*18 What's He doing? Writing His first Bible. Notice, the human beings once looked towards the heavens. And He puts all the stars in the heavens, the zodiac, starting off with the Virgin, ending up with Leo the Lion. First coming of Christ, the second coming. Came by the Virgin, come again as the Lion of the tribe of Juda. There He puts the first Bible. Oh, back in those days of—ancient days, they looked at those things. Today, He's got His Bible wrote here. But He wrote It in the heavens, that man would look up and realize that Jehovah the Creator lived above. And then I can see Him, He looked at that...*

And all these natural things that you see, like the Movies and everything and the advertisements "The Rebellious Ones" Rebellion and all that... You see how the teenagers are rebelling against their parents, you see. There're just so rebellious they're just bound to go to hell and nothing is going to stop them, see. And if you try to talk to them and tell them the right way, why, then they rebel against you see.

Why, because the Bible said they would. The Bible said, that children would be disobedient and rebellious to parents, you see. You can't a beat the word of God!

*2 Timothy 3:2-Reference quote:*

*2 For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, **disobedient to parents**, unthankful, unholy,*

*Romans 1:30-Reference quote:*

*30 Backbiters, haters of God, spiteful, proud, boasters, inventors of evil things, **disobedient to parents**,*

You see, your gonna face Jesus Christ whether you like it or not. "The wages of sin is death." Go ahead, go ahead and sin, but its gonna cost you your soul. Your gonna burn in a lake of fire forever and ever. I didn't say for eternity, but forever and ever.

*Romans 6:23-Reference quote:*

*23 For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

*Matthew 13:41-42-Reference quote:*

*41 The Son of man shall send forth his angels, and they shall gather out of his kingdom all things that offend, and them which do iniquity;*

*42 And shall cast them into a furnace of fire: there shall be wailing and gnashing of teeth.*

So, but God knows this age is full of rebellion. And that natural rebellion of the teenagers and of the people of United States, rebelling against America, burning the American flag, burning the draft cars and all these things. Rebellion against the governments, see. Schools rebelling against the teachers. Rebellion, rebellion that's all you hear!

So, we read this scripture here and bring it over to the spiritual, where Paul is saying here, that this spirit of the prince of the power of the air. Now where Satan...I don't care what people say or the doctor says or the theologians, Satan is a person! Satan the Devil is a person just like God is a person. But the Devil is not omnipotent, he's not all powerful. The devil has been allotted... Brother Shaw said, "Thank God" That's right, I don't know what we'd do" That's right Brother Shaw! The devil is not all powerful. He's not omnipotent, he's not omnipresent. Because if he was he'd have to be God. But he has a limited amount of power. And he has been given the kingdoms of this world. The United States and all of the kingdoms of the world belong to the devil.

And the devil's throne is in the heavens, it is in the lower atmosphere. I know a lot of this fall out looks like fall out, this smog and everything. A lot of times I believe it could be just demon power so thick. That's right the lid has been taken off hell, demon power streaming forth. Sure, it is!

I come up here from the school the other day, and there wasn't one girl that had a dress on. Cold as could be and their little legs are just frozen off and yet they'll walk right on. Why? Because they're anointed of the devil.

Why sure, any women...Let me tell you something! Back years ago, they would put a woman in an insane asylum for walking out with a dress above her knee. They would put her in an insane asylum. That's right, go back and look back at the records and see if they didn't. They did, in my home town, they would take you right to jail! Yes sir! We know many cases of it.

Now Legion was you know, was naked. Is, that right? (Amen) He didn't have a stitch of clothes on. But when Jesus came up there and cast the legions the devils out of the man, that was called Legion. The Bible said that they come back and found Legion clothed and in his right mind.

*Mark 5:2-15-Reference quote: Story of Legion*

*2 And when he was come out of the ship, immediately there met him out of the tombs a man with an unclean spirit,*

*3 Who had his dwelling among the tombs; and no man could bind him, no, not with chains:*

*4 Because that he had been often bound with fetters and chains, and the chains had been plucked asunder by him, and the fetters broken in pieces: neither could any man tame him.*

*5 And always, night and day, he was in the mountains, and in the tombs, crying, and cutting himself with stones.*

*6 But when he saw Jesus afar off, he ran and worshipped him,*

*7 And cried with a loud voice, and said, What have I to do with thee, Jesus, thou Son of the most high God? I adjure thee by God, that thou torment me not.*

*8 For he said unto him, Come out of the man, thou unclean spirit.*

*9 And he asked him, What is thy name? And he answered, saying, My name is Legion: for we are many.*

*10 And he besought him much that he would not send them away out of the country.*

*11 Now there was there nigh unto the mountains a great herd of swine feeding.*

*12 And all the devils besought him, saying, Send us into the swine, that we may enter into them.*

13 *And forthwith Jesus gave them leave. And the unclean spirits went out, and entered into the swine: and the herd ran violently down a steep place into the sea, (they were about two thousand;) and were choked in the sea.*

14 *And they that fed the swine fled, and told it in the city, and in the country. And they went out to see what it was that was done.*

15 *And they come to Jesus, and see him that was possessed with the devil, and had the legion, sitting, and clothed, and in his right mind: and they were afraid.*

And any woman that would dress herself like that is in her wrong mind, see. Now what is it? The Bible, the scripture I read here said, that “the prince of the power of the air.” Who is that? Satan, he’s the Prince. In other words, he is the king over the evil spirits.

*Ephesians 2:2-Reading*

*<sup>2</sup> Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience:*

Now he has a limited power and he sits in the lower atmosphere as king. Now you can’t see him, he’s a spirit. He doesn’t have a corporeal body. The devil does not have a corporeal body.

*Endnote:*

*62-0311 - The Greatest Battle Ever Fought*

*William Marrion Branham*

*377 Oh, Satan, their chief captain, oh, yeah, you know, some of these denominations try to get you believe he’s got a forked hoof, you know, and a split tail, and all that stuff. Don’t you believe it. He ain’t that way. No, sir, brother. He’s a slicker. Don’t you believe he’s got that. They just do that to scare you away. That’s not the devil. The devil don’t have a hoof, to begin with; I doubt it very much. **He just is a spirit. The devil is a spirit.** He don’t have forked hoofs and things, like you try to picture him. No, no.*

And if anybody tell you some man had a big tent meeting was casting out devil’s and they look like frogs... said it looked like a frog. Said “It was an orange frog and a green frog and a black frog.” See he’s in a delusion that man, there’s no such thing.

The devil does not have a corporeal body. He’s a spirit, and he has a personality, he’s a person and he has a spirit. And he is the prince of the power of the air. And he rules over all the earth and he’s the prince of it.

And that’s why that when you pray, a lot of times you... That’s why we need to stay right in prayer because those angels are bringing the answer to your prayer has to fight right through that demonized... See, they have to come down and do battle with all those demon spirits coming right down through there to get to you.

Now, we know that scripture we’ve read over in Daniel. Now if it was that bad in Daniel’s day, took him twenty-one days to fight through the demon power to get to Daniel, you can see that we’re gonna have to do more praying then we are now.

*Daniel 10:13-Reference quote:*

***<sup>13</sup> But the prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me one and twenty days: but, lo, Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me; and I remained there with the kings of Persia.***

But you know, everybody's ready to go, they got the Token and their ready to go. They don't even know the first thing about doin battle in prayer with the devil, see.

Now what is it? He's the Prince of the power of the air. He's ruling over the Kingdom's of the world with his evil spirits. Now he has millions and billions and hundreds of millions of evil spirits, this Prince of the Devil. Prince of the power of the air, the devil.

And he has his headquarters there and he sends out all these evil spirits see, that's controlling the actions of the people and making them rebellious. It is the spirit of Lucifer, the Devil that is making people rebellious. Sure, it is!

Now notice here, said it was "the spirit of the Prince of the power of the air that now worketh in the children of disobedience:" Now what is Children of Disobedience? As I said, that it was Children of Rebellion.

*Ephesians 2:2-Reading*

***<sup>2</sup> Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience:***

That's the best translation for that. And I looked up that word rebellion, and it has this meaning. It has... means unbelief, unbelief. And it also has a meaning of unattentive ...unattentive. You can't get their attention! Unpersuadable!

Now let's just bring that down to the spiritual now. Did you know that the angel of the Lord told the prophet of God in this hour, years before when he first started his ministry, that the time would come when they would not endure sound doctrine, the people? Why? Because they was unattentive.... they was unattentive and they was full of unbelief and they was unpersuadable. Why? Because they was not willing to learn sound doctrine.

*Endnote:*

*62-1104M - Blasphemous Names  
William Marrion Branham*

***313 Said, "Do the work of an evangelist, make full proof of your ministry. For the time will come when they will not endure sound Doctrine; but after their own lusts shall heap teachers, having itching ears; turn from fable...from Truth unto fables." If that hasn't been, just word by word! [Blank spot on tape—Ed.] 314 But, remember, then, the other night, when I never did read the rest of it. The thirty-something years that I've preached in this tabernacle, never one time did I ever go any farther than that, and I don't know why. 315 I often wonder, till, one day, I seen where Jesus picked up the Scroll and begin to read, and read half of the prophecy, and stopped, and said, there in Capernaum, He said, "And this day, this prophecy is fulfilled." Why didn't He read the rest of it? It pertains to His second Coming. See?***

Endnote:

57-0120M - *The Impersonation Of Christianity*  
William Marrion Branham

35 But that morning, the Holy Spirit said to me, as I was laying there. I went...In them days, I didn't know to call it a vision. I just said it was a trance. And I saw a vision which spoke and said that my work would be between the two faculties of the Pentecostal, the trinity and the oneness, and there was an empty place on each side to be filled. I did not cross them up. I just broke from each tree and planted it down. And up into the heavens went the great trees, a growing quickly, and their fruits fell down, and they were delicious. I was eating them. And at the cross, just ahead of me, lay all covered with fruits. 36 And then when I got to the place, the Holy Spirit come down to the top of the trees and said, shaking and roaring, and It said, "Do the work of an evangelist." Said, "When you come out of this, read Second Timothy 4." **Said, "Do the work of an evangelist. This is not your tabernacle."** And I said, "Where..." And I seen the tabernacle as it is today. I said, "Where is my tabernacle?" 37 And He sit me down under the bright blue sky. And He said, "Do the work of an evangelist. Make full proof of your ministry. **For the time will come when they will not endure sound Doctrine; but shall heap for themselves together, teachers, having itching ears, and shall be turned from the Truth, to fables.**" 38 **If that hasn't happened, word by word!** That is why I have tried to strictly stay with the Word. And that's my subject tonight, "On the Word!"

They was not willing, they wanted salvation some easy way. They wanted to go in the rapture some easy way. And when the prophet tried to teach them the unadulterated word of God...As he said, God has not sent me to build another denomination, but God has sent me to build individuals to that place where they might be the dwelling place of Gods power. See!

Endnote:

60-1113 - *Condemnation By Representation*  
William Marrion Branham

121 It ain't a Protestant doctrine. It's a Catholic doctrine. But we, as Pentecostals, interbred it with man-made theology. You see where we're getting? No wonder God can't send a revival; got nothing to build it on. 122 **THEN, HE'LL TAKE INDIVIDUALS, AND BUILD IT ON THEM INDIVIDUALS, AND DECLARE THEM BEFORE THE WORLD, WHO STAY WITH THAT WORD.**

Endnote:

62-1014M - *The Stature Of A Perfect Man*  
William Marrion Branham

172 We're not building an organization. **I'm not here this morning to build an organization. Christ never sent me to build organization. CHRIST SENT ME TO BUILD INDIVIDUALS TO THE STATURE OF JESUS CHRIST, THAT THEY MIGHT BE THE POWERHOUSE AND THE DWELLING PLACE OF THE SPIRIT, BY HIS WORD. BY HIS WORD, SEE,**

***BUILD UP THE INDIVIDUAL TO THAT PLACE.*** Not build an organization to a greater denomination, but build the individual to sons and daughters of God. That's the idea. See? Add to your faith, virtue; to your virtue, add knowledge. Well, now you're coming to a place.

*Endnote:*

65-0815 - *And Knoweth It Not*  
William Marrion Branham

***94 I'm only building.*** The hour is close at hand when you're going to see something happen, when something is going to take place. **And all this background here has only been laying a foundation for a short, quick Message that will shake the whole nations**

And it takes people that are attentive that's willing to sit and listen and learn to know how to be filled with the Holy Spirit of God. See!

And because of the spirit of the Prince of the Power of the air and his demons that are working on the people, the religious people making them rebellious! Making them Children of Rebellion.

Now the thing about it...All right, they are unattentive, they're unpersuadable, you can't persuade them see. You can't get their attention with the word of God. And they are also unbelievers, make believers, unbelievers you see.

Now notice, we only have two spirits. Now, I don't care what you think about it, there's only two spirits in the world. Sure, I can prove it with the natural. You take in science there's a negative and there is a positive. The negative is the devil and the positive is God. The light the sunshine is God and the darkness is the devil. See! The Death, the winter see that's Satan killing everything, death. But the sun comes up, that's life resurrection. There's only two spirits, there's only two spirits and that is God the Lord Jesus Christ and the Prince the power of the air. There's only two.

Now, when you see...when you see people, when you see women that won't let their hair grow down and yet they'll say I'm a Christian. They're reading the Bible where it said if a woman have long hair it's her glory. Is, that right? (Amen) And yet they go ahead and cut it off. What's causing that? That means that girl or that woman is anointed by an evil spirit that causes her to do that. Because if she stayed with the word of God the spirit of God would anoint that word and not let her do that.

*1 Corinthians 11:15-Reference quote:*

*15 But if a woman have long hair, it is a glory to her: for her hair is given her for a covering.*

So, it is a spirit that causes...Now I'm not unchristianizing nobody now. I'm just saying that person is anointed with an evil spirit.

And if that spirit...and if that spirit of the prince of the power of the air anoints that little child of God and makes it disobedient. It becomes disobedient because the spirit anointed it, to cut its hair so it'd be like the rest of the crowd. Come On!

Let's bring it down to you boys. You got to let your hair grow down all wigged down in the back all grown down like some beast or something. You just got to do it, because there's a spirit

anointing you to do it. See! You got a devil on you, see. What is it, nothing but a...just call it like it is! It's a devil.

When you see girls that's just got to let their dress go short so they can make the young man lust after their body. What is it? It's a spirit of the devil. See!

And what is it? These spirits are working on Children of Rebellion. They're rebelling against the word of God. See!

Now notice here there's only two spirits to anoint you, either your anointed of the Holy Spirit...Now come on! A Holy Spirit, it'll make you live Holy! It'll make you think Holy, it'll make you walk Holy. And if you got another spirit working on you, it's gonna make you think dirty, it's gonna make you walk dirty and its gonna make you do dirty. There's only two spirits, A Holy Spirit and a Dirty Spirit!

I want a Holy Spirit on me. If you want to call me a holy roller, call me a Holy Roller. If you want to say, "I'm a close-line preacher" Go ahead and call me that. That's all right, see.

But one day you'll stand before Jesus Christ and what will be your excuse then, see? There won't be none!

What is it? The spirit of the devil and his demons anointing children and making them disobedient to their heavenly father. Is, that right? (Amen)

Why did the Bible say, and the sons of God? And the sons of God...Sure you're a son of God, your born in the image of God. Every man that's on earth is a son of God, but he needs to be converted, see or he's gonna die. Sure, all life comes from God.

And the sons of God looked upon the daughters of men and saw that they we're beautiful. They had them little miniskirts, back there in that day to. And the sons of God looked upon the daughters of men. Why is women so beautiful today? To tempt the sons of God. Sure, it is!

You say, "Well, why is things so evil today brother Lambert?" So, that God might prove to the Devil that he has a little Bride that's gonna stay with Gods word.

Can you imagine God getting a Holy Little Bride, a Bride with every one of them with long hair? Let me tell you, there'll be not one person, not one woman will go in the rapture that's trimming her hair. Not one woman will go in the rapture with them short dresses. Not one woman! I don't...You say...Listen! Let me tell you, if you can't line up with them little bitty things down here, how you gonna line up with that great spirit up there? How you gonna do it? You'll never be able to do it see. It just proves that there's something that's down in the heart that's not right.

So, what do we have, Children of rebellion? And all these things here that's on earth, all this material and all this money that you can get. You can go out and go into business and make all kinds of money. You can just make barrels of money now. What good is it? It's all gonna burn. But it's all there just to tempt the sons of God. Every bit of it there is to put a temptation in front of you to see if you love that more than you love Jesus Christ.

And the beautiful women here, sure their almost irresistible. Let me tell you something, if I'd been a sinner... there is so many women ...Used to be why, you'd have to really hunt to find a girl to go out with, see if you was a sinner. And now brother they're running after you. They don't care if you have a wedding band on or what.

Why you go in the airport and they almost chase you down. They'll do anything to get you. I never seen nothing like it. You just have to plead the blood. You can't turn your head nowhere, won't even ware underneath garments, no under clothes on. Stand there with a little ole miniskirt on and no underwear on. If I was a sinner that would make me sick to my stomach. Why, that's not attractive to a man, my!

My, what's the matter? They're crazy! And the next generation won't... Let me tell you something, to the women of the world. I'm not preaching to you precious children here. I'm talking about the condition of the world. Did you know that the next generation rolls around, if Lord tarries, that a man won't even marry a woman? Why? Is because they made sex so common. It's got so common and so polluted that man don't want nothing to do with it then. So, what do you do? You produce a bunch of Sodomites. Then the men start working with the men. They don't use the natural course of a woman no more. They won't marry because they're homosexuals then. Did you now that homosexuals on the increase hundreds and hundreds and hundreds of percent. Why? Because of the women have taken their dresses off. And made sex so common and chasing the men, now they don't want nothing to do with them.

Why, even the doctors are writing now in any magazine and newspaper you want to read, that they're not gonna marry any more, in another generation. See, what it is, they can't reproduce their self.

What is it? The devil! See, nothing but the spirit of the devil, see. Working in the Children of Disobedience.

All these things are here so that God can prove to the devil that he's gonna take a bride out of such a corrupted generation. Now you think of that, how precious that Bride will be, that we'll walk out in holiness and live like that among all this stuff going on, see.

So, we have the spirit, the spirit of the devil Satan and his demons anointing children and making them rebellious. See, Children of rebellion. Now the thing about it in all ages what.... Satan has anointed people, religious people of all nations.

Now I've showed you in the natural, now let's bring it up close to the Bride. Now let's bring it up here to some little Bride talk now.

Now notice here, that the spirit of the devil, the closer he can get into the presence of the real Bride of Christ the more he's worshiped. Now, let that sink down a minute. Now what is it? The spirit of error! The spirit of error of rebellion are working on the children making them children of Rebellion, Children of Disobedient, see. Now what are they rebelling against? They are rebelling against the revealed word for the hour, see. Rebel... If your Rebellious, your rebelling against something, see.

Now notice in the days of Moses, what did the devil anoint the children of that day that followed Moses, the church? I'm talking about the church, the mix multitude! Huh! They had a promise, every age has had a promise from God, that you could get a revelation on and by getting a revelation of that promise for the age, made you an elected of God. Is, that right? (Amen)

Now notice here, that in the days of Moses God had gave a promise, that you have been given a good land filled with milk and honey. Is, that right? (Amen) Now what did the devil do? The devil come down and anointed that mix multitude and told them that they couldn't take the promise land. And that made them Children Of Rebellion! And they rebelled against Moses so bad, over taking them to the promise land that they wanted to stone Moses.

Now there was two that the spirit... the devil couldn't anoint to rebel against God and that was Joshua and Caleb, out of three million. Now what was their promise? Their promise of that day was a natural promise land.

And our promise land today, is the holy Spirit the Token of God, another book of Acts, another out pouring of the Holy Ghost. Is our promise for this day!

Now notice, that the spirit of the devil anointed the mix multitude there and caused them to rebel against Gods promised word of revelation for that hour. And that made them Children of



Disobedience. They was rebellious and disobedient and unpersuadable! Is, that right? (Amen) Unpersuadable and unattentive to what God was doin. And they rebelled against the revelation of the word of God for that hour. And what happen to them? Their carcasses died in the wilderness, they everyone died.

*Endnote:*

56-0527 - *At Kadesh-Barnea*  
William Marrion Branham

130 *The people, at the hour of decision now! You've got to make up your mind. This church has got to make up its mind. Every man comes to a place where there's a crucial hour. There was a crucial time come where you had to make up your mind. A judgment seat, you was at. You had to say, "I am guilty," or, "I am not guilty." When you're standing before the judge, you've got to make up your mind. **131 And, tonight, the Branham Tabernacle has got to make up its mind. We're either going to go on or go back. That's right. You're going back to garlic and—and leek, and stuff of Egypt, or you're going on to Angels' food, to the promised land where God made a promise. We're going on to an old-fashion, Holy Ghost revival; or you'll be wish-washy, packing around, and pecking like a robin on an apple, until the day you die. You've got to make your decision. You can't go on.** "Why halt ye between two opinions?" said Elijah. "God be God, serve Him. If He's not God, then don't serve Him."*

*Endnote:*

*An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 4 - The Smyrnaean Church Age*  
William Marrion Branham

*To understand what I have just said is to clear up why students have never ever found Paul saying at any time, "Be born again and THEN be Spirit-filled." They have inferred it is there, and they have put their own meanings to make it say it, BUT SCRIPTURE DOES NOT SAY THAT. Jesus never said it either. **Look at John 7:37-39, and read it now with understanding. "In the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying, If any man thirst, let him come unto Me, and drink. He that believeth on Me, as the Scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.** (But this spake He of the SPIRIT, Which they that believe on Him should receive: for the Holy Ghost was not yet given; because that Jesus was not yet glorified.)" **Now it says here distinctly and emphatically that the believer upon drinking by coming unto Jesus in faith would have rivers of living waters pouring out of him. And it places this experience at Pentecost.** Now keeping this thought in mind we read John 4:10 and 14, "If thou knewest the gift of God, and Who it is that saith to thee, Give Me to drink; thou wouldst have asked of Him, and He would have given thee living water." "But whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst; but the water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life." This same living water is mentioned, but this time it is not called a river; **it is called an artesian well. There is where the people make their mistake. Because it is called a well and a river, they think that in one place it is eternal life given by the Spirit and in the next place where it is called a river (implying a great dynamism) it has to be the Spirit now given as an enduement of power. NOT SO.** It is one and the same. **It is the Spirit that gives life and power, and that came at Pentecost.** What is it that caused this misunderstanding? **The answer is, "EXPERIENCE." We have gone by***

**experience and not the Word. Away with experience as your measuring line. There is only one plumb line, only one rod, and that is the WORD.** Now watch carefully and get this. Peter said, "Repent, and be baptized in the Name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost." Paul said, "**Have ye received the Holy Ghost SINCE ye believed?**" **This is the whole of our problem right here. People repent of their sins, they get baptized in water, BUT THEY DON'T GO ON AND RECEIVE THE HOLY GHOST. YOU BELIEVE UNTO RECEIVING THE SPIRIT. Believing on Jesus is the step in the right direction which is toward the Holy Ghost. But the people stop there. They go as far as water and then stop. They believe, and then stop. The Bible does not say that you receive WHEN you believe. It is, "Have you received the Holy Ghost SINCE you believed?"** The exact and literal translation is: "**Did ye, having previously believed, receive the Holy Ghost?**" **The people believe and then stop. You don't receive the Holy Ghost when you believe UNTO Him, having repented. YOU GO ON AND RECEIVE THE HOLY GHOST.** Do you see it? That is what is wrong with our fundamentalists. **THEY HAVE NO POWER FOR THEY STOP SHORT OF PENTECOST. They are like the children of Israel who came out of Egypt and stopped short of the Promised Land. Now those children of Israel left Egypt about two million strong. They all journeyed together, all saw the same miracles of God, all partook of the same manna and water from the smitten rock, all followed the same cloud by day and the pillar of fire by night but ONLY TWO reached the Promised Land. ONLY TWO WERE TRUE OR REAL BELIEVERS. THAT IS CORRECT BECAUSE THE WORD TELLS US THAT THE REST DIED BECAUSE OF UNBELIEF; AND BECAUSE OF UNBELIEF THEY COULD NOT ENTER IN. (Hebrews 3:19.) Then since that is so, and only TWO ENTERED, then the rest were not true believers. WHAT MADE THE DIFFERENCE? TWO STAYED WITH THE WORD.** When the hearts of the ten spies failed at Kadesh Barnea, **Joshua and Caleb did not stagger for they believed the Word and said, "We are more than able to take the land." They knew they could because God had said, "I have given you the land."** **AFTER ALL THOSE ISRAELITES SAW OF THE POWER AND GOODNESS AND DELIVERANCE OF GOD THEY DID NOT ENTER INTO REST, WHICH IS A TYPE OF THE HOLY GHOST. SO YOU CAN SEE RIGHT NOW THAT VERY FEW WILL EVER BELIEVE ALL THE WAY TO RECEIVING THE SPIRIT OF GOD.**

Now the unbelief does not stop anything but the unbeliever! Unbelief... If you don't believe the promise word for the hour, it doesn't stop God, it'll go right on! See! Doesn't make any difference, you can't hinder God. God is not hindered by unbelief. See!

Endnote:

64-0816 - Proving His Word  
William Marrion Branham

70 But in the face of all these un-...doubting ages and things that we have went through and live in today, the worst of all, in the face of all this doubt, God does go right on proving His Words to be right, as He has in every age. He...Unbelief doesn't stop God, it doesn't hinder Him. I don't care how much the world unbelieves, It's still going to happen. Unbelief doesn't do nothing but condemns the unbeliever. **THE UNBELIEF WILL SEND THE UNBELIEVER TO HELL.**

***IT'LL ROB HIM OF EVERY BLESSING GOD PROMISED TO HIM, BUT IT DOESN'T HINDER GOD FROM GOING RIGHT ON WITH THE BELIEVER. SEE, UNBELIEF DOESN'T STOP GOD, IT ONLY STOPS THE UNBELIEVER.*** 71 You say, "I...The sun ain't going to shine tomorrow, I'm going to stop it." You try it. See? All right, you can't do it. God has set it in order and said it would shine, and it's going to shine, that's all, He said it would. Might be some clouds under it, but it's still shining just the same. And you can't stop God with that. He, what... 72 How does He make His Word known to the people? First, God knowing that there would be unbelievers...Now watch the wisdom of God; knowing there would be unbelievers, and how the majority would be unbelievers. He, by foreknowledge, predestinated a seed for every age, that would believe It. Now if you'll notice in there, for, each age goes right on with His Word, everything right on time, **NOTHING HINDERS GOD. HE GOES RIGHT ON, AND EVERY CLICK IS MOVING JUST EXACTLY RIGHT.** We think, sometimes, it's not going to work right. BUT DON'T YOU WORRY, HIS CLOCK IS TIMED JUST EXACTLY TO THE SPLIT INSTANT, AND EVERYTHING'S WORKING JUST EXACTLY RIGHT. 73 When I look around sometime and see these Rickys and Rickettas that we got today, and on the streets, and how everything's going on, I think, "O God!" 74 "Wait a minute," He says, see, "My timepiece is turning just exactly right. I've got to put you upon the same basis I did the first man, them days. And I put you on the same basis of Luther, and on the same basis of Wesley." Because, you see, sin wasn't known then like it is now. **And when we got more knowledge now than we had then, and when the enemy comes in like a flood, the Spirit of God raises a standard against it. See? And now today, we've got more knowledge, more understanding, so the rivers of unbelief is flowing in hard, but God raises a standard against it.** But, remember, He's always...The reason that He—He predestinated these things to happen. He foretold them by His prophets they would happen. And when the righteous see these things confirmed, then they know It's right. Regardless of what anyone else says, they know It's right. 75 We find out over there in—in—in, I believe, it's in First Thessalonians, He said, "He has predestinated us to the adoption of children by Jesus Christ." God, not saying, "I'll choose you, and don't choose you," but His foreknowledge knowed what you would do. So by foreknowledge He can set in order, and He's made everything to work for His good, and for your good.

But God can only take one class of people and fulfill the promise word for the hour with and that is believers. See! Now, the believers are Obedient to the Promise Word for the Hour. See!

Notice that one spirit is anointing one people to be obedient to the word of God. If it says, "don't cut your hair," they don't cut their hair. If it says, "be baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ," they get baptized. Whatever the Bible says they'll line right up with it. Why? Because they have a Holy Spirit anointing them. See!

Now the others, have a dirty spirit anointing them. See! A spirit of error, a spirit of the devil anointed them to disobey the word of God. Doesn't make any difference, there's only one word. Is, that right? (Amen) Only one word got us in all this trouble, see.

*Endnote:*

65-0801M - *The God Of This Evil Age*  
William Marrion Branham

**135 THERE IS ONLY TWO CLASSES OF PEOPLE SPOKE OF IN THE NEW TESTAMENT. "THE CHILDREN OF GOD, AND THE CHILDREN OF THE DEVIL."** Did you know that? You want to put a Scripture down for it? First John 3:10, if you want the Scripture. I'm reading it right here, got it wrote out. All right. All right. 136 In Ephesians 2:2, they are called, "The children of disobedience." Like Eve was, disobedient to God's Word. **The children of obedience, and disobedience, have nothing in common. Then how can the Bride of Christ associate in a denomination, when one is disobedient and the other obedient? How can one, be the Word; and the other one, perverted word? How can a prostitute and a clean woman walk together in agreement? They can't do it. They have no fellowship at all. "Come out from amongst them!" It's of the devil. It's the mark of the beast. Heading right into it now; all denominations. I don't care whose it is. God is taking, not a denomination, "a people for His Name." A denomination won't receive these Truths. It'll take an individual person that can see God, look at His Word and believe It, and belong to no organization; but live for God, not for his organization, the intellectual wisdom of some bishop or something has taught it. That's right. 137 The children of disobedience, and the children of obedience, has nothing in common.** One of the...is of the day of Light; the other one, of night and darkness, evil age, this evil age of darkness, nightclubs, dances, yet belong to church. It's okay with their god. They don't have any condemnation about it; nothing bothers them.

Notice here, every age had a promise word, had a promise word for that hour. In the days of Moses, in the days of Elijah and on down. And it come on down to the days of Martin Luther. Martin Luther had a word of promise for that hour, that the just shall live by faith. Come out of that ole dead denominations that ole Catholic church. The just shall live by faith. You don't have to do penance and torture yourself and everything and get prayed out of purgatory. The just shall live by faith. That was the promise word for that hour.

Now what happen? The spirit of the devil then in Martin Luther's ministry, the spirit of the devil would come down and anoint people, religious people against the word of promise. And explain it away by Knowledge. Come on! They'd say, "Martin Luther said, the just shall live by faith." Then they go to another minister and that minister would take the word of God, see, anointed by Satan would take and explain away the promise word for that hour. And when they did, they become rebellious to the word of promise for that hour. They become a deadly enemy to Martin Luther. They become a deadly enemy to the children that believe Martin Luther. How many understand what I'm talking about? (Amen)

*Endnote:*

51-0728 - *Three Witnesses*  
William Marrion Branham

*And God is not known by knowledge, God's known by faith; by faith, you believe. Not try to figure it out, you just believe. And that's the way God is known. God, bless you.*

Then that makes them the children of rebellious, children of disobedience. What was they disobedient against? They was disobedient against the promise word of revelation for that hour that they lived in, see. On down see.

Endnote:

64-0206B - Paradox

William Marrion Branham

*41 Paul turned to the Gentiles, away from the Jews, God's heritage. A time come where he had to do it. **They talked against him**; but he made that famous word, **"I was not disobedient to the Heavenly vision."** 42 **And may I say that same thing, brother, see, the vision of today, see, the vision of the promise of today, the Holy Spirit in—in the land today. God promised that in this day He would pour the Holy Spirit out upon us.***

Now notice, they had a promise word revelation for that hour, the just shall live by faith. They had a revelation of it. Everybody that believed that and got a revelation of Martin Luther's message, made up the rapture in that day and will come forth in the Bride.

Now notice there, that all the evil spirits that anointed many religious people in that day against the word of promise for that hour and they become Children of Disobedient, Children of rebellion. And what did they rebel against? The promise word of revelation for their hour that they live in.

Endnote:

65-0801M - The God Of This Evil Age

William Marrion Branham

*168 "Children of disobedient" means obedience...Disobedience means "rebellion." I looked that up in the dictionary, to be sure. **REBELLION, REBELLING AGAINST (WHAT?) THE REVEALED WORD OF GOD. Like Cain revealed...rebelled against Abel's revealed revelation, vindicated of God that it was righteous. And Cain rebelled against it, and slew his brother.** The Pharisees, with their own denominational knowledge of what the Word of God was, selected hand-picked man, **rebelled against the vindicated Word of God made manifest for the day, Jesus Christ, and killed Him. That right? That's what "the children of disobedience" is, a rebellion against the Word of God. Now see where they are? "Oh, days of miracles is past. Jesus Christ is not the same yet. There is no such a thing as the baptism of the Holy Ghost. All that stuff is nonsense!" See, rebellion! They don't have to say two things; just have to say one, that's all. That's rebellion, right there. They can't say you don't have eyes, you don't have ears; you got to take the whole body, the whole Word. See? The Holy Spirit call, "**Comes out of her, be not partakers of her denominational dogma,**" as he laughs and scorns at the Word of God of this day. "For God is not mocked," just remember. She'll get it. Don't be worry. She'll get it. The Bible, in Ephesians 4:30, if you want to put that down, Ephesians 4:30, said. **"GOD IS NOT MOCKED. WHATSOEVER A MAN SOWS, THAT SHALL HE ALSO REAP."** **THEY CAN'T MOCK AND MAKE FUN, AND SAY THESE THINGS, AND GET BY WITH IT. "LIKE BREAD UPON THE WATER, IT'LL RETURN."** 169 **She is the devil's bride,*****

**wrapped in his religious, sin-loving knowledge for this present evil age, to deceive you. Oh, my! A whole clique or denomination of seducing spirits, by scientific knowledge and a modern civilization! Claiming...**

Then we come on down and God called a man John Wesley. And when he called John Wesley, he give him a word of promise for that hour. And it said, you not only got to be justified but got to be sanctified. You got to be sanctified see. Sanctified through thy word, thy word is truth.

*John 17:17-Reference quote:*

*17 Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth.*

And so, the spirit of God anointed the real obedient. Come on now! Those that wanted to be obedient to the word of God. The spirit of God anointed the real obedient children and made them obedient to the word of God. And the spirit of the devil and all of his demons begin to anoint the other religious people and make them rebellious against the promise word of the hour. And then they become the children of rebellion. What did they do? They rebelled against the word of revelation for that hour, Sanctification.

All right now. Then we come on down, to they had a word of promise, gifts of the spirit Azusa Street in 1906. See! And the word... Spirit of God come down and anointed the hungry hearts. Those that was hungering and thirsting for the spirit of God. God come down and anointed them and gave them a revival of restoration of gifts. Is, that right? (Amen) Then what did they do? The devil anointed his religious children. Oh yeah, they claim to worship God. And they become rebellious against that. They become rebellious against the promise word for that hour and so on it went right down into our day.

Now what is the promise word of revelation for our day! This is the Token age! And the Holy Spirit is coming down and anointing the hungry and the thirsty, that's hungering and thirsting for the Token of God. No other age did we have the Token age, this is the Token age, this is the Capstone age! This is the hour when God will pour out another out pouring of the Holy Ghost greater than he did on the day of Pentecost. And that is...And if an angel...Hear me now! If an angel...I don't care if he's a brother, I don't care if he preaches like an archangel, I don't care who he is. But hear me this morning! If an angel, would come from heaven and preach any other thing than that Token, he is an antichrist and a deceiver. I don't care how nice, fine nice good, you say he's a good man, that's fine. We'll get into that good! We'll get into the Tree of Good and evil right in a minute. Yes, sir! Yes, Good, fine preaches good. that's fine that's wonderful. That don't have a thing to do with it.

I say as Paul said, after the divine revelation of that hour was given to Paul, they didn't understand it anyway, but after it was given to Paul... Paul said, in Galatians 1:8, that if an angel would come from heaven and preached anything other thing then what he preached, let him be accursed.

*Galatians 1:8-Reference quote:*

*<sup>8</sup> But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed.*

But God will make an exception with brother so and so. Awe No! No! Don't add one word to the revelation or take one word away from the promise revelation for the hour, he'll take your name out of the book of life.

*Revelation 22:19-Reference quote:*

***19 And if any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life, and out of the holy city, and from the things which are written in this book.***

Did you know there's many, many right today, yesterday and the day before are taking their name out of the book of life, by interpreting what the prophet of God said. Oh yes, you'll find out when the Bridegroom comes, he'll make it all revealed. Oh yes, I know, I know they are, see. God is taking people's names right out of the book of life by interpreting what the prophet said.

So, we have a word promise for this hour. We see what the promise word was in Luther's day, what it was in Wesley's day, and what it was in Azusa Street. Now we see what the promise word for our age is. **THAT YOU HAVE GOT TO COME UNDER THE TOKEN.**

*Endnote:*

64-0308 - *The Token*

*William Marrion Branham*

***63 You've got to have the Token. And when the Token comes, It testifies of Christ. He said It would. And Christ is the Word. And how can you deny that the Bible is true, part of It, and still say you have the Token, when the Token is the testimony of Jesus Christ? See, there is what I wonder. 64 "Oh," say, "I don't believe, I believe the days of miracle..." Oh, look out, there is no Token there. The Token punctuates every Word with an "amen," everything, 'cause it's God Itself. See? All right. 65 But if the token was not there, the covenant was not in effect. It was annulled. Same now! No matter how—how much you say, how much you'd say, "I believe every Word in the Bible," say, "Brother Branham, I—I can quote you half of that Bible, all the Bible, by heart. I believe every bit of It." That's good. Satan does, too. Uh-huh. It takes the Token! 66 "Well, Brother Branham, I've got my wall full of degrees. I'm a Bachelor of Art, and I have a doctor's degree, and an LLD. of Latin. And, oh, I've wrote books. I've done this. I done everything. I've—I've done all these things." I don't care. That's all all right, **BUT YET YOU'VE GOT TO HAVE THE TOKEN. THE TOKEN, STILL THE TOKEN IS REQUIRED!** 67 You say, "I'm a Bible student. I'm a—I'm a good person. I'm this, that." That may be fine, that's all good, but still it's got to have the Token! **68 Now, death was ready to strike Egypt at any time, and so is death ready to strike the nation now at any time.** 69 Anna Jeanne, I feel something like your dad, said a remark one time. I've always liked that. He said, "You know, this nation, with the same sins, if God lets America get by with what she is doing, He will be morally obligated to raise Sodom and Gomorrah up and apologize to them, for burning them." And that's right. **70 Remember, Israel paid for every sin she did, and so will we. How loosely are we getting? Tighten up the armor! Come back to God, church! Not saying these things to be different. I'm telling you as a warning. You believe!** 71 **DEATH WAS READY TO STRIKE. GOD HAD SHOWED THEM HIS GRACE AND HIS MERCY, THROUGH POWERS AND SIGNS AND WONDERS (SO HAS HE TODAY BEFORE TAKING THE*****

**CHURCH OUT), STILL THEY DESIRED NOT TO REPENT AND TO BELIEVE THE MESSAGE. 72 See, there was a message just before the taking out of the church. There always has to be. Same now. Every spiritual happening is a sign from God. Do you believe that? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] LIKE THE MESSAGE, THERE IS A SIGN AND THEN THE MESSAGE FOLLOWS THE SIGN. God told Moses, said, "If they won't believe the voice of the first sign, maybe they'll believe the voice of the second sign." 73 Now, when you see signs going on, and no message behind it, just the same old school of theology and on down, that wasn't from God. BUT WHERE THERE IS A SIGN SHOWED, A MESSAGE FOLLOWS IT. NOW LOOK. JESUS COME ON THE SCENE...**

Well, you say, "I thought I got it, when I believed the prophet's message?" Have you received the Token of God, SINCE you believed the message! See!

Endnote:

63-0901M - Token

William Marrion Branham

146 Moses standing, up-and-down the street, saying, "The evening message is here! It shall come to pass, at the end of the fourteen days, you shall gather the congregation together and **kill the lamb. The whole congregation of Israel shall kill it, putting their hands upon it, identifying themselves with it. And the blood shall be struck upon the post, and upon the lintel of the door, and, 'When I see the blood, I'll pass over you, for it's a token that you've accepted the death of the lamb that I have provided for you.'**" **The blood was the token.** 147 **NOW THE SPIRIT IS THE TOKEN. "YOU SHALL BE FILLED WITH THE HOLY GHOST NOT MANY DAYS HENCE." AND WHEN THE BLOOD WAS SHED, THE TOKEN WAS SENT DOWN ON THE DAY OF PENTECOST, LIKE A RUSHING, MIGHTY WIND.** 148 That was the theme of every apostle. That was, "**HAVE YOU RECEIVED THE HOLY GHOST SINCE YOU BELIEVED? Repent, every one of you, and be baptized in the Name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, AND YOU SHALL RECEIVE THIS GIFT OF THE HOLY GHOST, FOR IT'S A TOKEN, AMEN, THAT YOU'VE PASSED FROM DEATH UNTO LIFE.**" There you are. When that Gen-...Jewish church faded out, the Gentiles taken it over, and that perversion like that; now **she has come out, to get that remnant of the Gentile, for His Name's sake, the Bride.**

When did Abraham receive it, when he was under uncircumcision? Abraham, No sir! Abraham was circumcised, see. Yes, sir!

Look here, now what happen? When the promise word for the hour is revealed to the Obedient Children.



Endnote:

64-0205 - *God Is His Own Interpreter*  
William Marrion Branham

**16 When God makes a promise and God says...In—in the beginning, in Genesis, He lotted His Word to each age as It come down from the beginning to the end. And, down through these ages, the church world has got all these things all mixed up by traditions, and so forth, and God always sends on the scene, down through the Old Testament and New, prophets! And the Word of the Lord comes to the prophet. And how does It do it? It manifests the Word of God. God's manifestation, that tells whether it's right or wrong. Nobody has to interpret It, the Word interprets Itself. God promised it and there it happens!** 17 What good does it do to say anything else about It? Who is the sinful man that would try to say (when God made a promise and God does it) that that interpretation is wrong? That's God Himself doing His Own interpretation, interpreting. **He don't need anybody to interpret Him, He interprets Himself by manifesting what He promised that He would do.** 18 **Oh, if the church could only see that and see the promises that's lotted for each age! All other ages, God has sent on the scene (even down through the seven church ages) and has manifested everything that He promised to do. Everything, there's not one thing left undone. Exactly! What He said He would do, that He did.**

The spirit of the devil comes down and anoints that mix multitude that come out and followed out after the prophet. He comes down by the spirit of error. Comes down by the spirit of error and begins to anoint the people with knowledge. Anoints the people with knowledge and gives them an interpretation of what the messenger said, see. And causes them to be Children of Disobedient, against what? What did they become disobedient to? They come disobedient to the word of revelation. Immediately when the devil anoints those children, against the promise word for the hour, they become Rebellious and Disobedient to that word of promise for the hour!

Endnote:

65-0801M - *The God Of This Evil Age*  
William Marrion Branham

**56 The two spirits. One of them, God's Holy Spirit; the other one, the devil's spirit, working in deception. The people of the earth are now making their choice. The Holy Spirit is here calling out a Bride for Christ. He is doing it by vindicating His Word of promise to Her, for this age, showing that It is Christ. If the finger is supposed to move in this age, the finger will move. If the foot is supposed to move in this age, the foot will move. If the eye is to see in this age, the eye will see. See? The Spirit of God, as It's growed into the full stature of God, is the age that we're now living in. The Holy Spirit is here vindicating the Message of the hour. And the Holy Spirit is doing this, so that the people that believe God will be called out of this chaos. THE DEVIL'S UNHOLY SPIRIT IS HERE CALLING HIS CHURCH BY THE ERROR, AS USUAL, BY PERVERSION OF THE WORD OF GOD, LIKE HE DID AT THE BEGINNING. SEE IT COMING RIGHT BACK TO THAT SEED TIME AGAIN, FROM**

**EDEN? HERE IT IS AGAIN.** 57 Now, back through there, you belong-...other ages, you belonged to denominations, you belonged to this, that, or the other. What happened to the denominational stalk? It dries up. **The Spirit keeps leaving and going on, and It heads up in a Seed.** You see? 58 And the temptation, of both, heads back the same way it was at the beginning. Notice. Don't—don't, no, don't forget it now. As John, First John 4:5 and 6, if you want to put that down, he puts it, "the spirit of error." Eve never just simply walked out, wilfully, say, "I don't believe in God." No. **IT WAS AN ERROR SHE BELIEVED.** 59 **SATAN NEVER COME OUT AND SAID, "OH, WELL, THAT'S NOT EVEN THE WORD OF GOD." HE ADMITTED IT WAS THE WORD OF GOD, BUT HE PUT HIS OWN INTERPRETATION TO IT.** Which, God plainly told them not to do it.

Look here how the devil's coming down and anoints you with an interpretation of the prophet's message, immediately you become contentious and hateful and Rebellious to the man that's preaching the truth. Here's a man standing preaching the word of promise for the hour, trying to get the children to come under that promise for the hour. Is, that right? (Amen) Then the devil will anoint other people that's followed the prophet of God and by knowledge...Give them knowledge, see give them plenty of knowledge of what the prophet said.

Did you know that Brother Branham said there would be many men, people that could quote everything on tape and miss it? Why? Because they only got it by knowledge.

Endnote:

62-0401 - Wisdom Versus Faith  
William Marrion Branham

464 **You can have all the Word, you can know that Word from A to Z, and It will never work for you. Have you seen men take that Word and try to make It work, say, "Brother, glory to God"? It just won't work. You can't fool with the Word.** No, no. No, no. No matter what you profess, the Word testifies of Itself. No matter what you claim, the Word gives the testimony. That's right. 465 Now, **Satan knowed the Word. He knowed It from A to Z.** Well, you know what? I imagine, if he'd have a degree, he'd have enough titles to stretch across four or five pages of paper, "Dr., Rev., Elder, Ph., L.L., Q.D.," all the alphabet in every way. **His degree would be in that Bible. He knows every Word of It. Sure he does. See? So, Satan said, "Now, I know the Word." I know that he knowed the Word when he come to Eve. So, he had It by head knowledge, but It wouldn't work.** 466 **Jesus knowed It by faith, in the revelation of God's Word in His Own predestinated Life. Glory! I hope that soaks plumb to into your heart. Jesus knew Who He was.** Satan was wondering. He knowed that He was a predestinated Creature of God, that God Himself was manifested in Him. It wasn't Him doing the works. It was the Father that dwelt in Him. Amen. 467 **Let the devil fly with all of his theology. Jesus; Satan knew It. He knew the Word. Now, he could quote that Scripture, boy, just like a walking Bible. He could just quote It like that.** [Brother Branham quickly snaps his finger many times—Ed.] See? 468 But Jesus just stood still, for He knew where He was standing. **He knowed that He was predestinated, "was the Lamb slain before the foundation of the world." He knowed He was that Person. Oh! Oh, brother! "He that has an ear, let him hear." He knowed that He was predestinated for that, and that's the way He knew the Word. See? And It worked. Sure.** 469 **Satan knew It by wisdom.** It failed. He quoted the same Word Jesus quoted, same Bible. He

quoted from Psalms. "He will give...It's written," Satan said, "He will give His Angels charge concerning You, lest any time You dash Your foot against a stone. They'd bear Thee up." He said, "And it's also written..." Oh! See? **Satan knowed It by knowledge. 470 Jesus knowed It by experience. He knowed It by revelation. He knowed that He was that Son of God that was to come into the world. He knowed His standing. He knowed He was born in this world for that purpose. And that's the reason the Word of God could work through Him, because He knowed what He was. Glory! Have you caught it yet? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] He knowed what He was. 471 Satan, at the back of it, he knowed what he was. And he knowed he had no business, with his wisdom, on the Word, because the Word was God. You get it? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] 472 Now, if Jesus knew Who He was...He was a predestinated Creature of time. You believe that? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] Jesus, the body, He knew that He was the predestinated Word, the Person of God that was to stand in that day, to be the Sacrifice for sin. And He knew His adversary. (As I preached on, couple Sundays ago.) He knew His adversary; and He knew Who He was. **Therefore, those two great forces come together, knowledge and faith. Jesus knew Who He was. 473 Satan knew the Bible as good as Jesus did, but It wouldn't work for Satan. See? 474 NO MATTER HOW MUCH KNOWLEDGE YOU HAVE, IT WON'T WORK. Now, take that back to some of these big organization. Think of it, a minute. They say, "Well, we got the Word." Let me see it work. You Catholics, you say you're the original. Let's see it. Show me your works, without your...Or, show me your works, by, or, without your faith, and I'll show you mine, by my faith. See? See what the Word said.****

Now, the real servant of today, the real servants of God are standing holding that promise word for the hour over the people, trying to get their faith up to a place where they can receive that Token of God. Oh, I know what I'm talking about, sure I do!

The devil comes down...the devil comes down by his demons and anoints that mix multitude. Saying, "Why you know the church ages is all over, why that's all over! Your trying to have a revival? It's all over! See oh my, see if you believe what the prophet said, you got it!" Show me one scripture? Show me one scripture?

On the Token tape Brother Branham said, "You say I believe the message with all my heart that's fine, that no more than being able to read." That's no more than being able to read.! He said, I'm not talking about that, he said come and apply the Token. See!

*Endnote:*

63-0901M – Token

William Marrion Branham

230 Don't just come this far, say, "I believe the Message." You obey the messenger. Come into Christ! You say, **"Well, I believe every Word said, Brother Branham." That's good, but that's just—that's just being able to read. 231 Take the Message, take It into your heart, that you must have the Token, the very Life that was in Christ be in you. "When I see That, I will pass over you."**

Now the Bible said, "These signs shall follow them that believe! In my name they'll cast out devils and speak with other tongues, and if they lay hands upon the sick they shall recover.

*Mark 16:17-Reference quote:*

*17 And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues;*

*18 They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.*

John 14:12 “The work’s that I do ye shall do also and greater works than these shall ye do”  
**THAT IS THE PROMISE OF GOD FOR THIS HOUR!** And if we don’t produce it we’re found a bunch of liars!

*John 14:12-Scripture quote:*

*12 Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father.*

*Endnote:*

*60-1204E - The Patmos Vision*

*William Marrion Branham*

*220 Goes from His mouth, a sharp two-edged sword, wake up the heathens. Something’s got to happen one of these days. Yes! The Word of God, His Name was the Word of God, the Word made manifest. Look, Jesus said, “Go into all the world,” Mark 16, His last salute to the church before He returns to reveal Himself in the church age. He commissioned the Church, “Go into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature.” What? Preach the Gospel. Mark 16, “Preach the Gospel to every creature.” What is that? In other words, “demonstrate the power of the Holy Ghost,” had to be. 221 Now watch, “to every...” Not just teach the Word; He never said, “Go teach the Word.” He said, “Go preach the Gospel.” Not teach the Word, preach the Gospel. “And these signs shall follow them that believe this Gospel; in My Name they shall cast out devils, they shall speak with new tongues, if they would take up a serpent or drink a deadly thing it wouldn’t harm them; if they lay hands on the sick, they shall recover.” 222 “And they went forth,” said the Scripture, “preaching everywhere; the Lord working with them, confirming the Word with signs following.” That’s the Gospel, the Gospel on display. 223 These signs shall follow how many? Unto the end of the world, to every age. There’s that little minority coming down through, holding that Light. No wonder Jesus said, “Fear not, little flock, it’s your Father’s good will to give you the Kingdom.” The little flock; the minority always, not the majority.*

*Endnote:*

*64-0404 - Jehovah-Jireh #3*

*William Marrion Branham*

*229 But if God said so, that makes It so. There ain’t no “surely” to It. **You must be born again. You got to receive the Holy Ghost. Either that or perish!** Notice. 230 And here He—here He come in, Jesus and God became one. They united. 231 Like in Eden, where there Adam and Eve was in the beginning, the same spirit. Their names was called Adam. See? He was both Adam*

*and Eve, together. And when was separated, to go the test, what happened? Eve fell, by the Word. That was the Word. Adam went out after her, to redeem her, but he couldn't do it. He wasn't worthy to redeem her. 232 **Then along come the Second Adam, to redeem the Church, which was in shadow and type. 233 Now, as sure as Adam and Eve had to be the same spirit, Christ and the Church has to be the same Spirit, the same ministry. "The things that I do, shall you do also." You see what I mean? They had to unite together. Flesh and blood, and God, had to come together and be one Spirit. And Jesus Christ and His Church is one Spirit. How can the church deny creation, how can the church deny the thing that Christ told them to do, how can we deny It and then say that we are of Christ? "If ye abide in Me, and My Words abide in you, ask what you will and it'll be given to you. I am the Vine, ye are the branches, and the Life that's in the vine goes into the branch to bear the fruit." Fruit-bearers! 234 "And every limb that don't bring forth good fruit, is hewed off." That's the way organizations did, break it up, get the Word mixed up, and start off like that. And one starts one this way, and one that way, and, first thing you know, a few little bunch of Rickys come in and they get their idea in it, and, the first thing you know, then it's just become a big bunch of Babylon. He just prunes it off. 235 Never did an organization ever rise, but what it fell. And every one fell, never did come back again. I challenge that to anybody. Yes, sir. You know history. There never was one. God, as soon as they organize, He puts them on the shelf, and that ends it. He will take a man from somewhere else, bring it right out. Certainly. 236 **Notice in this now, they have to become one. Jesus said, then, "The Life that's in Him will be in His Church." And here is exactly what He promised in the last days, that the Life that was in Christ, that was in...will be manifested in the days that the world is in a Sodom condition just like it is now. Can't you see, brother, sister? 237 What good does it do to join church if you haven't got Christ in your life, and Christ identifying Himself in your life? See, that's it. "These signs shall follow them that believe." He said that. How could you say it, if it's not, how can you claim to be Christ's?*****

You or anybody can say, "I belong to Christ. I'm a Christian," that ain't got nothing to do with it. Let me tell you something, any whoremonger, any liar, any thief, any adultery, any prostitute can come and sit down here in this church this morning. And have maybe a little long hair and wear a decent dress and have a tape recorder and say "I believe the message" and everybody will receive her.

You know it's like Brother Neville said, "You know that all most all congregations would gladly want Ananias and Sapphira in their congregation." But said, "The Holy Ghost wouldn't have them" Why? Because they was Rebellious to the promise of that hour! See!

And what is it? The devil is coming down and anointing people with knowledge upon the message and then making them an enemy to the revealed word of promise for the hour.

Listen let me tell you something, The devil Hates This Token Preaching More Than Anything Else! You can preach anything you want to, but you start holding up the promise word for the hour and THE DEVIL IS AFTER YOUR CHARACTER!! HE'LL DO EVERYTHING, LIE ABOUT YOU TALK ABOUT YOU, RUN YOU DOWN, Gods people. What is it? It's the spirit of the devil anointing children trying to make them disobedient to the word of promise for the hour! AND THE WORD OF PROMISE FOR THE HOUR IS TO RECEIVE THE POWER OF THE HOLY GHOST, TO MAKE THE WORD OF GOD LIVE. Oh God, let me drive that thing down! We're PROMISED A RESTORATION OF THE POWER THAT FELL AT PENTECOST! Hallelujah!

Endnote:

60-1204M - *The Revelation Of Jesus Christ*  
William Marrion Branham

142 **“Upon this rock I’ll build my church, and the gates of hell cannot prevail against.”** 143 **So then you see why Satan is so against the Book of Revelation. Anything that’s revealed, spiritual revelation, Satan is against it. THAT’S WHY HE’S SO AGAINST THE MINISTRY TODAY.** Because, what is it? **The revealing of Christ.** 144 Let the church go on with its great denominations and organizations, and its little flowery messages and so forth. Let them go on, Satan won’t bother that. They don’t have no troubles. Everybody pats them on the back. **145 When there comes a time that God, through the Holy Ghost, reveals Christ back in the Church, with the power and demonstrations of healing the sick, and making the signs that He said would follow the believers, come to pass, then Satan turns over in his bed. He does something about it.** Until that time, Satan don’t care how much church you join. He don’t care how much. But when Christ reveals to you that He is the Son of God, and the works that He did you do also; not some other works, but the same works. 146 **“He that believeth in me...”** Saint John 14:7. **“He that believeth in me, the works that I do shall he also. Do the same works, and greater than this.”** Because, Christ could not preach the baptism of the Holy Ghost, would be greater. He could not bring it to them, because the Holy Ghost hadn’t yet been given. **BUT WHEN JESUS CAME AND SACRIFICED HIS LIFE, AND THE HOLY GHOST RETURNED, THEN THEY COULD IMPART ETERNAL LIFE TO THE PEOPLE. THAT’S THE “GREATER.”** 147 But the signs and wonders, Jesus plainly said, in Mark 16, **“Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.”** How far? All the world. How many? Every creature. Long as the Gospel is being preached, these signs shall follow them that believe. **And when that becomes a revelation, brother, you’re near the Kingdom then. “On this rock I’ll build my church, and the gates of hell can’t prevail against it.”** 148 Because, the man or the woman that’s ever been in that back desert alone, like Moses was, and the revelation of God be made manifest to him through the Holy Ghost, there’s nothing can shake him. He’s just as sound and solid as he can be. **Satan hates Revelation. He don’t like it, at all; upsets his plans.**

“And if an Angel Come From Heaven And Preach any other thing let him be accursed!” Oh, yeah! I know so!

Galatians 1:7-9-Reference quote:

7 Which is not another; but there be some that trouble you, and would pervert the gospel of Christ.

8 **But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed.**

9 As we said before, so say I now again, If any man preach any other gospel unto you than that ye have received, let him be accursed.

There is something coming forth from the Lord that’s gonna curse that thing before long! God ain’t gonna let them be there.

*Endnote:*

56-0408A - *What Is A Vision?*

William Marrion Branham

154 *The other night, I, not knowing...How many was at the Philadelphian Church when they heard me say at a certain person, “Cursed be the person that raises their eyes while I’m praying for this blind woman”? That’s what I was doing. See? 155 The Lord is fixing to visit His people, in a great, marvelous something, friends. And I would...It has to be a secret in my own heart. But if you know me, and you believe me, and love me, and respect me as God’s servant; just remember, I’m telling you, a blessing is on the road, that’s right, a coming. And it will not be weakening. It will never weaken me no more. And it’ll be far beyond anything that’s ever happened here or anytime else. It’s just something the Lord has given. And I want... 156 That would make me a—a believer in grace. After I had done, and the things that I had done, and the way that I had acted, and condemned before God, and yet, when God speaks anything and makes a...He’s going to do it, anyhow. Amen.*

What is it? It’s the spirit of Rebellion! Rebellious, because the devil knows, that if you get that Token, HE’S HAD IT! And as long as he can make you and keep you away from that Token, he’s got a clear field.

Why does he hate revelation? Because revelation exposes the spirit of Rebellion! Rebellion against the Promise word of God for the hour!

*Endnote:*

*An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 1 - The Revelation Of Jesus Christ*

William Marrion Branham

*How did Abel know what to do in order to offer a proper sacrifice to God? **By faith he received the revelation of the blood. Cain didn’t get such a revelation (even though he had a commandment) so he couldn’t offer the right sacrifice. It was a revelation from God that made the difference and gave Abel eternal life.** Now you might take what the pastor says, or what the seminary teaches, and though it might be taught to you with eloquence, **until God reveals to you that Jesus is the Christ, and that it is the blood that cleanses you, and that God is your Saviour, you will never have eternal life. It is the Spiritual revelation that does it.** Now I said that this Book of Revelation is the revelation of Jesus and what He is doing in the churches for those seven ages. It is a revelation because the disciples, themselves, didn’t know these recorded truths. It had not been previously revealed to them. You remember that they came to Jesus in the Book of Acts and asked Him, “Are You at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?” And He said, “It is not for you to know the times or the seasons.” Those men were still thinking of Jesus having an earthly kingdom. But it was a spiritual kingdom that He was going to build. Even He could not tell them about His place in it, for the Father had not revealed it unto Him. But now after His death and resurrection, and at this particular time in His mediatorial ministry, He is able to set forth here in this revelation of Himself to John what His glory and presence in the church would mean and do. **In this revelation He tells us what the end of the devil is. He***

**tells how He is going to deal with the devil and cast him into the lake of fire. He reveals the end of the wicked ones who follow Satan. And Satan hates that. Have you ever noticed how Satan hates two books of the Bible more than all others? Through liberal theologians and pseudo-scientists he is always attacking the Book of Genesis and the Book of Revelation. In both of these books we find Satan's origin, his awful ways and his destruction. That is why he attacks them. He hates to be exposed, and in those books he is exposed for exactly what he is. Jesus said about Satan, "He has no part in Me, and I have no part in him." The devil would like to prove that different; but he cannot, SO HE DOES ALL HE CAN TO DESTROY CONFIDENCE IN THE WORD. BUT WHEN THE CHURCH DISBELIEVES SATAN AND BELIEVES THE SPIRIT'S REVELATION OF THE WORD, THE GATES OF HELL CANNOT PREVAIL AGAINST HER.** Let me just put in a word here from my own ministry, if you don't mind. You all know that this gift in my life is supernatural. It is a gift whereby the Holy Spirit is able to discern diseases, and the thoughts of men's hearts, and other hidden things that only God could know and then reveal to me. I wish you could stand with me and see the faces of people when Satan knows he is going to be exposed. Now, it isn't the people that I am talking about. It is that Satan has got a hold in their lives through sin, indifference, and disease. But you should see their faces. Satan knows he is going to be exposed, and the most peculiar changes come over the peoples' countenances. **Satan is afraid. He knows that the Spirit of God is about to let the people know of his works. That is why he hates these meetings so much. When names are called and diseases revealed, Satan hates it.** Now what is this? It is not mind reading, it is not telepathy, nor is it witchcraft. **It is a REVELATION by the Holy Ghost. That is the only way I can know it. Of course the carnal mind will call it anything but the Holy Ghost. Let me show you another reason why Satan hates this Book of the Revelation of Jesus Christ in the church. He knows that Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, and today, and forever, and He changes not. He knows that a whole lot more than do ninety percent of the theologians. He knows that since God is immutable in His nature, then He is just as immutable in His ways. Thus Satan knows assuredly that the original church at Pentecost with the power of God (Mark 16 in action) is the True Church that Jesus claims as His own. All else is false. It has to be. Now remember this. Christ in the True Church is a continuation of the Book of Acts. But the Book of Revelation shows how that the antichrist spirit would come into the church and defile it, making it lukewarm, formal and powerless. It exposes Satan, revealing his WORKS (ATTEMPTED DESTRUCTION OF GOD'S PEOPLE AND THE DISCREDITING OF GOD'S WORD) right down to the time he is cast into the lake of fire. He fights that. He cannot stand it. He knows that if the people get the TRUE REVELATION of the TRUE CHURCH AND WHAT SHE IS, WHAT SHE STANDS FOR AND THAT SHE CAN DO THE GREATER WORKS, SHE WILL BE AN INVINCIBLE ARMY. IF THEY GET A TRUE REVELATION OF THE TWO SPIRITS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH, AND BY GOD'S SPIRIT DISCERN AND WITHSTAND THE ANTICHRIST SPIRIT, SATAN WILL BE POWERLESS BEFORE HER. He will be as definitely thwarted today as when Christ withstood his every effort to gain power over Him in the desert. Yes, Satan hates revelation. But we love it. With true revelation in our lives, the gates of hell cannot prevail against us, but we will prevail over them.**

Just as soon as a man gets a lot of knowledge upon Brother Branham's message and a lot of



knowledge upon tape, he goes from church to church and begins to hold meetings and everything.

*Endnote:*

*50-0110 - Moses*

*William Marrion Branham*

*8 Now, remember. If you can just think, maybe there's some of it you do not understand. Frankly, friends, there's much of it that I do not understand. **I just accept it. Don't never try to figure God out; you can't do it. God is not understood by knowledge; God is understood by faith.** Is that right? What if Peter would've tried to figure out how deep that water was, and how impossible it was for him to walk on that water; he'd have never walked. See? But he just took Christ at His Word and walked on. Well, that's the way I did this. I just took Him at His Word, and there I went. And you just take Him at His Word tonight. And if you, maybe be a sinner and do not understand how to take God at His Word, then God sent me here. I want you to take my word for it, and see if it doesn't come to pass, that God will bless you.*

But let that knowledge come in contact... And find out that man's preaching the token and looking for a revival, he'll do everything to tear that man's character down. He'll lie, he'll tell every tale that he hears about him without even checking it out. Oh, don't tell me nothing, I've been watching this thing for years now.

*Endnote:*

*60-0417M - Go, Tell*

*William Marrion Branham*

*188 Now I'm wanting to see that happen. **It's going to be the attitude of the people towards the Message.** See how she said it? **She said just the right thing. It's what you say, that does it. What you say!***

I went down here and started a little service there. Then people started driving hundreds of miles and the spirit of God started coming in their midst. Little teenagers started repenting and getting right with God. Their hair started growing out, women stopped trimming their hair and started getting cleaned up. And everybody started doing right! Then what would happen? The spirit of the devil would come down and start anointing people. Anointing them, thinking all kinds of evil about you and talk about this, "Well, we went over and talked to brother so and so and he said, that Brother Lambert was all messed up" Now see, what was it? The spirit of the devil! I've seen them come and go. Oh, I seen them jump and shout. I seen them get all... "Oh glory to God" They was so happy about what I was preaching about. Oh, they was thrilled! They'd drive, they'd spend their vacations they come up. Get off of work, stay two or three days and just wring their hands and fast and pray, "Oh God, I never seen nothing like it" Then the next thing you know, down they go. See, what it is, they don't have nothing down on the inside

to anchor them see. The first little wind that comes by, they'd defame the preacher's character. There ain't, NO MAN can put his finger on my life! I dare the man to put his finger on my life, it can't be done!

But what you do, you ain't got no revelation, people ain't got no revelation. They get all excited, "Oh, glory to God" I seen them for years now. "Oh, I never heard nothing like it, oh glory to God. Oh. glory to God, I'm gonna move here. Glory to God I'm gonna do this, I'm gonna fast, I'm gonna do this" Then the next thing you know, you call up some other preacher you know and see what they think about it. Well, "What do you think about Brother Lambert? What do you think about this Token?" That's the worst thing that you could of done! Then you know what happen? The ole devil come right down on you and anointed you. Boy, then you begin to doubt it then, you begin to doubt this, doubt that oh yeah. Huh! The devil got you right there. See!

Oh my, but what is it? When you get a real divine revelation down in your soul, YOU DON'T HAVE TO ASK NOBODY ABOUT IT, YOU KNOW ABOUT IT AND THE GATES OF HELL WILL NEVER PREVAIL AGAINST IT! Hallelujah!

It don't make no difference, as I said before, I didn't go ask Brother Don Ruddell what he thought about it! I didn't go ask him what he thought about it, I didn't go ask brother so an so what he thought about it! I told him what I KNEW ABOUT IT!  
I KNOW THAT IT'S THE TRUTH! IT'S THE PROMISE FOR THE HOUR! YE SHALL RECIEVE POWER AFTER THE HOLY GHOST comes upon you! We're gonna have a revival, I don't care if there's five left here! I tell you in the NAME OF THE LORD! GOD WILL POUR OUT HIS SPIRIT, as he did in the days gone by! Do you think I care, what these preachers believe about it?

Let me tell you something brother, I've been believing it for twelve years when nobody believed it, and I still hung onto it. And I SHALL HAVE AN OUTPOURING OF THE Holy Ghost!

People go around and get so excited, I seen them for five years. Oh my, they get excited, get excited, but brother when the word begins to chip around on where they ought not to be.

That's the way I watched a brother one time, everything something I'd preach and hit brother so and so, he'd smile and say, "hallelujah." I knew what he's got, that's right! A lot of times you think I don't know it, but I know where you needed it at. As one brother said, "You know I think he was preaching to me" I said, "What do you think I was preaching to Honey, them stones?" Sure, I'm preaching to you, GOD CALLED ME TO PREACH to you! People go out and walk up and say, "Was you preaching to me?" Why, sure I was! But don't embarrass me and come up and ask me if I was, sure I was! You embarrassed me; I'm preaching to you honey! Yes sir!

The bible said, That the man of God don't spare the sword in Vain but to Fear it! Hallelujah! Brother, you turn it down its death to you!

*Roman 13:4-Reference quote:*

*<sup>4</sup> For he is the minister of God to thee for good. But if thou do that which is evil, be afraid; for he beareth not the sword in vain: for he is the minister of God, a revenger to execute wrath upon him that doeth evil.*

*Endnote:*

*63-0901E - Desperations*

*William Marrion Branham*

*100 You can't be desperate till God speaks to you. Oh, Church, rise and shake yourself! Pinch your conscience, wake yourself up, in this hour! We must be desperate, or perish! There is coming forth something from the Lord! I know it as THUS SAITH THE LORD. There is coming forth something, and we better get desperate. It's between Life and death. It'll pass through us and we won't see it.*

*Endnote:*

*63-0321-The Fourth Seal*

*William Branham*

*321 Here we see Life and death coming to the final struggle. The white horse, of true Life; the pale-horse, of mixed creed. They see the thing coming to the—to the real showdown.*

What is it? I've watched them for years they get all excited about it. And You show them by a revelation what the promise of the hour is and they get all excited about it. But then when they find out they might have to leave their home. A lot of times I find out it's a lot of different things, it's the children. They got a little Jezebel in their house that don't want to line up with the word of God. She's got an unclean spirit on her, or the little boy has got an unclean spirit, rebellious against his parents and don't want to line up. And they start talking their parents out of it. And then the parents will go and try to find some preacher that'll fit something that will make it a little easier for them. Come on!

That's exactly what the devil's doing in this hour. One of them will say, "I got two oxen" and another said, "I got a farm" another one said, "I just married a wife"

What is it? YOUR TURNING DOWN THE INVITATION TO THE MARRIAGE SUPPER OF THE LAMB! CAST OUT FARMS, CAST OUT HOUSES, TAKE A HOLD OF THE WORD OF PROMISE AND GO OUT AND GET A REVIVAL! Hallelujah! Glory to God!

What is it? We GOT A BUNCH OF WEAK BONES instead of a back bone! I tell you right now, I ain't got two cents for a wishy-washy spirit.

I tell yeah, if we played an ole hickory stick on some of these children you wouldn't be having the problems you're having. What's the matter? Children of rebellion tell the parents what to do! That's right!

Don't tell me, I know a lot of things you think I don't know. What is it? You'll find out in that day, that you missed the rapture. Just because of certain things you didn't want to line up with. You'll let...LET ME TELL YOU SOMETHING! ONE HUNDRED OBEDIENCE TO THE WORD OF GOD ENTITLES YOU TO THE TOKEN! Why! GOD IS ANOINTING CHILDREN OF OBEDIENCE TO BELIEVE GODS WORD AND THEN GOD GIVES THE HOLY GHOST TO THEM THAT OBEY THE WORD OF GOD!

Endnote:

64-0208 - The Token

William Marrion Branham

116 And when we can display the Token of the Holy Spirit, shows that we have been accepted in Christ, and that is our Token that all that we have need of is already purchased by Him. We are identified with our Token. The Token must be ready. 117 The Blood, Covenant Blood, is not recognized without the Token. **The Word assures us of the promise. The Token is the sign the purchase has been made for us.** 118 **FULL OBEDIENCE TO THE FULL WORD OF GOD ENTITLES US TO THE TOKEN. NO OTHER WAY IS THERE, THAT YOU COULD EVER BE ENTITLED TO THE TOKEN, UNTIL YOU FULLY OBEY THE WORD.** Not what somebody has put into It, and added to It; but what God said about It! 119 When He said, "You must be born again." That don't mean jump up-and-down at the altar; that don't mean walk back there and shake hands with the pastor; that don't mean all this foolishness that we've seen done; it don't mean putting your name on a church book. **It means death to your first being, and Life to the second being. It means that the Blood has been applied, and you're identified by the Life of Jesus Christ. And if He be the Vine, and we be the branches, the Life that's in the branch is in also from the Vine. It'll bear the fruit.** 120 **If that first branch come forth, that branch out of that Vine, that wrote a book of Acts behind it; if that branch ever puts forth, a Vine puts forth another branch, they'll write another book of Acts behind it, 'cause it's the same Life.** If a one of your grapevines out here brings forth blue grapes, if it puts forth another branch, it'll bring forth blue grapes. 121 And I tell you, today, we got so many grafted vines into It, with denominations and creeds and things, and yet any citrus fruit grafted in can live, live in that Vine. But it's bearing the wrong fruit. 122 **What we need, today, is another baptism of the Holy Spirit, and have the real Power of God that identifies the works that Jesus Christ promised for this day, not so much as that day. This day, the promise that He made here. That was what He promised there, He would pour out His Spirit. Now He has promised it again in the last days, and what He would do.**

Don't think that you're gonna get away with ninety five percent of obedience, your gonna believe all the word of God or your tribulation bound.

Hallelujah! I ain't meant to say... I ain't got these things down on there, on the paper. But I feel like saying it, SOMEBODY NEEDS IT! A lot of people go out and say, "Well, somebody told Brother Bob" Nobody told me nothing, I say what I feel led to say!

Like one time I didn't know... I lot of times I don't realize what I'm sayin. But you check it out one time, if God ever anointed it, see if it ain't right.

Just like I never did know, I said, "You women lay up there in your bed and read them ole love story magazines and all those true story magazines and all those movie screen things." And my young boy told me he knew who that woman was and never told nobody about it, and told me when we was on a hunting trip. He said, "You know why I wouldn't believe that man?" I said, "Why son?" He don't ever talk much, my boy don't. I said, "Why?" He said, "Because I was in her house and seen what type of literature she was looking at" Laying up there reading them ole love stories and everything. Those ole filthy dirty magazines. He said, "I thought sometime daddy will call that thing out" Why, because he had confidence that the holy ghost

would nail that thing. Sure, enough one day, I didn't know she had done it. But the Holy Ghost come right out and nailed that thing! And that girl like to have fell out of her chair! What was it? I TELL YOU THE HOLY GHOST DON'T LIKE A DIRTY SPIRIT IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD!!

And what is it? We got a bunch of intellectual devils, spirits of Lucifer coming down and anointing preachers, trying to tell people, "Well, if you got...if you believe the message well, you already got it! Why, you know you got the token." YOU ARE A LIAR!

BY FAITH YOU STAND, BY GRACE, hallelujah!

Brother let me tell you something, the Bible said, "He gives the Holy ghost to them that obey him"

*Acts 5:32-Reference quote:*

***<sup>32</sup> And we are his witnesses of these things; and so is also the Holy Ghost, whom God hath given to them that obey him.***

And God has laid a message out here for the Children of Obedience, to obey that word so that they might receive the reward of a believer and that's the Token of God.

Let me tell you something Children, everything that's in your life is trying to keep you away from the promise of God, that's the devil!

Brother Branham said, you let your wife keep you away from it. You let your husband keep you away from it. You let your children keep you away from it. You let your jobs keep you away from it.

But blessed be the name of the Lord, Heavens and earth shall pass away but the word of God shall never pass away. Give me the word of God "if I have to eat soda crackers." Like the Prophet said.

*Endnote:*

*55-1120-What Is In Your Hand?*

*William Marrion Branham*

*I'd rather lay on my stomach and eat soda crackers and drink branch water, and preach the true word of God, if I have to preach it on the street corner, than compromise with the devil, and live in the best palace that they had and compromise. Preach the truth. I'd rather wear a hand-me-down suit, and my shoes off my feet, and preach the Gospel and tell the truth about It, the way God writes It in here, than to compromise with the devil and take a back seat. Amen. Be honest with people. "Preach the Gospel." That's what God said. Let the chips fall where the will. That's the thing to do. "The axe is laid to the root of the tree."*

What do I care, if I have anything to eat or not? What do I care, if I live in one room or four rooms? When It's all gonna burn and sink and go to HELL ANYWAY! Away with everything and get the Token, that's all I care about. Let me tell you something children...I'm ahead of myself and I ain't even on my message. But I want to tell you something. What the devil is doing is anointing people with knowledge, Yes sir!

Did you know that Eve believed God? Did you know she believed God? But she doubted... The devil a preacher... Come on! What was it? The first messenger to the church was God. And then what happen? A man walked up and was anointed by the Prince of the power of the air. And said, "Well, yes the Lord did say that, but he meant." See what he did? He just interpreted what God said to her, he didn't change it. He just interpreted it and added a little bit to it. And what happen? Mixed the error with that pure word of promise. And she ate! And God said, "end the day that you eat of that preacher's tree.... COME ON NOW! In the day that you eat of that preacher's tree.... What of? Knowledge, knowledge of the word of God.

*Endnote:*

*63-0321 - The Fourth Seal  
William Marrion Branham*

***328 Truth and error! Oh, my! No matter how good that it's... Truth and error cannot mix. It cannot mix. It's either the THUS SAITH THE LORD or it's wrong. No matter what holy father said it, Saint Bonifer, or—or the archbishop of Canterbury; I don't know who said it. If it's contrary to the Word, it's perversion. It won't mix. Say, "Why, this fellow done..." I don't care what he done, how much holy he is, or anything like that. THIS IS THE ONLY DIRECT TRUTH THAT WE HAVE. NO CHURCH, NO CREED, HAS NO TRUTH, IF IT'S OUTSIDE OF THIS.***

*Endnote:*

*An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 10 - A Resume Of The Ages  
William Marrion Branham*

***The Pentecostal Age did not restore. But God has to restore for He cannot deny His Word. This is not the resurrection of the Church; it is the "Restoration." God will take the Church right back to Pentecost of the beginning. Now notice in verse 25 it tells why we need restoration. The locust, cankerworm, caterpillar and palmerworm have eaten all but the root and a small bit of the stem. Now we are told that all these insects are all one and the same in different stages. That is right. They are the antichrist spirit manifested in organization, denomination and false doctrine through the ages. And that poor little root and stalk is going to be restored. God isn't going to plant a new Church, but is going to bring His original planting back to original seed. He is doing it as stated in verse 23, by the teaching, or "former" rain. NEXT WILL COME THE HARVEST RAIN OR RAPTURING FAITH. Thus at this very moment we are in the complete fulfillment of Matthew 24:24, "insomuch that, if it were possible, they shall deceive the very elect." And who is it that shall attempt to deceive the very elect? Why, the spirit of antichrist in the "false anointed ones" of this last day. These false ones have already come in "Jesus' Name" claiming that they have been anointed of God for the last day. They are the false Messiahs (anointed ones). They claim that they are prophets. But are they one with the Word? Never. They have added to it or taken from it. No one denies that the Spirit of God manifesting in gifts is upon them. But like Balaam they all have their programs, make their appeal for money, exercise gifts, but deny the Word or by-pass it for fear that a controversy might diminish their chances for greater gain. Yet they preach salvation and deliverance through the power of God, just like Judas, with a ministry imparted by Christ. But***

***because they are wrong seed, consequently they have a wrong spirit motivating them. Religious? Oh my! They outshine the elect in effort and zeal, but it is Laodicean, not of Christ, for it looks for big crowds, big programs and startling signs amongst them. They preach the second coming of Christ, but deny the advent of the prophet-messenger, though in power and signs and true revelation he eclipses them all. Ah yes, this false spirit that in the last day is so close to the real, can be distinguished only by its deviation from the Word, and whenever it is caught in being anti-Word, it falls back on the one argument we have already shown to be false: "We get results, don't we? We have to be of God."***

Let me tell you something! The Devil knows the Bible a whole lot better than I do! And a whole lot better than you do! Come on! Don't tell me about it! He knows the Bible a whole lot better than I do. Why? He was in heaven, the devil was. So, when he worshiped the Lord, he can worship him a lot better than I can in the natural. Yes sir! He quoted the word of God to Jesus. Look at him rattle them Scriptures off. Did not the Pharisees and Sadducees know the Bible, all of it? But they did not have the revelation of the word of God. Yes, Sir!

And God said in the day that you eat of the tree of knowledge of good... it's got the good word of God is good, sure. It preaches, it goes to church, it says I believe the message, it says everything. Why, it never said. "In the day that you eat of that bad tree!"

As Brother Branham said, "The devil ain't up there with a big long tail and two big horns stickin' up and a big pitchfork after you!" Said, "He's a slicker behind the pulpit" Just knows the word of God preaches like an archangel. Sits right there among you and say's, "I believe the message" and walks right along. But down in his heart he is a child of the devil!

*Endnote:*

62-0318 - *The Spoken Word Is The Original Seed*  
William Marrion Branham

***192 That slick-tongued devil. He ain't got hoofs and forked-tail, no, like they'd try to make you believe. He's a slicker behind the pulpit. Right. Uh-huh. Or, some little ricky with his hair combed down like a duck, sitting on his back out there, to harm some mother's daughter, that's the guy come around with a little cute-like little... Oh, I'll let that go. 193 Now, the womb, Eve received the wrong seed-word. Now listen real close now. We're going to drive this right down, if the Lord willing, She received the wrong word. What did it do? It was Satan's lie, said, "She would be wise."***

Did the wolf come to you with a pitch fork, long horns and a long tail, did God say he come that way? No, be aware of wolves in sheep's clothing.

*Matthew 7:15-Reference quote:*

*15 Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves.*

They come looking just like a sheep. They got wool on them say, “Baa, Baa!” Did you know that you cannot tell the bleat of a goat from a lamb? Unless you’re a trained Shepherd. You’ll hear the goat bleat and you’ll hear the lamb bleat and you’ll swear it’s two lambs, you can’t tell them apart. But a trained Shepherd CAN TELL THE BLEAT OF THE LAMB AND A BLEAT OF A GOAT! It don’t make no difference what kind of sheep wool you got on, what you look like, what you sound brother, But if YOU DENY ONE WORD OF THAT REVELATION ON THAT TOKEN YOU ARE A ANTICHRIST until you’re proven innocent.

You know in the course of America you’re proven innocent until your proven guilty. But with me your guilty till I prove you innocent. That’s right! I’m on safe ground then.

Every time that I put my arm somebody, “Oh honey glory to God, your it, I know you got it,” I got my mouth busted. Come on! Why because I didn’t try the spirit. how do you try the spirit? You can’t even try it unless you have a revelation. put it against the word of revelation for the hour!

*1 John 4:1-Reference quote:*

***1 Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world.***

Don’t you see, that the devil is trying to keep you away from that Token! If you miss the Token your Tribulation Bound and you have nothing to get you out of here! Wouldn’t that be the biggest error and the biggest mistake you ever made honey. Wouldn’t it be?

See, let’s just supposing you already had it. Let’s just say that we got it! You ain’t hurtin none, you ain’t hurtin none if you already got it. You can’t no more die than God can. But, it would be the biggest mistake you ever made to think you had it and you didn’t have it!

Now where would I be found a more faithful servant? By telling you that you didn’t have it then to tell you that you did. I mean that’s in the natural. However, as Paul said, “I talk foolish!” Because I know where the Bride of Christ stands. She stands without power and without the wedding garment on.

Now look here, God said in the day that you eat of that tree of good and evil, good and evil. Now what was it? It was good and evil. That’s the way Satan deceives you with good and evil. He doesn’t just take all evil and deceive you with it. Come on now! He paints sin up real attractive to you. Huh! Huh! Let’s just sow a little wild oats and have a little fun, it’ll be all right! Then after you have all your fun you want then slip down and join that church; you’ll be ok. See, how he gets you? Then you come down there and join an old dead denomination and got no more God in it than nothing, see. That is, after you sowed your wild oats, that is.

See, the devil always tells the people that they’ll never die. A person can have three heart attacks and the doctor can say that heart can’t stand much longer your gonna go. You never believe it. See the devils telling you, you won’t die, you’ll get all right.

See what they’ll do, you’ll there dying and they come in and shoot a hypodermic needle in you and puts you to sleep so to keep you from repenting. See, that’s Satan in them hospitals. Oh yeah.

See he’s a cunning shrewd thing. Comes with good and evil. Not just with a big long tail and two big horns and a pitch fork, “I’m a devil, I’m a devil, I’m a devil.”

It’s like when I told Brother Brown from Jamaica, he believes this revelation. I put my arm around him and I was talking about the deception of the antichrist. And I said, “Oh, come here brother Brown” I was acting real serious you know. And he stooped down and looked out the



window. I said, "Look a there" I said, "There's a devil over there behind that tree, I seen him just then" Well, he looked and said, "What?" I said, "There's a devil over behind that tree" I just squeezed him a little tighter you know. And I got my arm around him like that, squeezing him. I said, "There's a devil over there behind that tree!" Well, he couldn't get what I was saying. I said, "I'm the Devil brother Brown I've already got you!" And he's telling you to look down there behind that tree. See, that's just the way it is.

A preacher will get right up and he'll be the Devil just laying that message out there to you. But he's putting death in it, see. He's mixing...he's mixing evil in with the good, see. What is the good? The message is good and he mixes evil with it and gets you off just a word. Is, that right? (Amen) And he'll just keep telling you about the devil and all the time there he is speaking right to you and you don't know it. Oh, you can't believe it? Then you don't believe the Bible.

Where was Judas? Sitting right at the supper table and eleven apostles, after Jesus said, "The devil is the one I'm gonna give the biscuit to." And he gave him the biscuit to the Devil and still couldn't believe it was the devil. Why? Because Judas didn't have two big horns stick`in up, two big tufts hanging down and a big long tail out there. Why they heard Judas preach and he was the best preacher of them all. And all they we're eliminated, Peter said, "Am I the Devil?" And Jesus never said he was. James said, "I'm I the devil?" John said, "I'm I the Devil?" Now they done eliminated everybody but Judas. And all them twenty-two eyes was on Judas, twenty-two eyes lookin on Judas, see. Twenty-two eyes looking right through him there and the only one left. They said, he couldn't be the devil. He couldn't be the devil; Judas preaches to good. He knows the message to good. He's to Sanctified, it couldn't be him. Oh, my there's nobody as shrewd as Judas. What? He's a treasure. But the only thing that could expose the devil... as deceiving as he was sitting there. **IT WAS THE REVEALED WORD OF GOD, IS THE ONLY THING** that can expose the devil. If you ain't got no revelation honey, your already deceived, see. Now look at there, he said, "It is he that I give the sop to." And he dipped the biscuit in the gravy and said, "Here you are Devil." He handed it right to the devil and they still couldn't believe it. Why? Because unspiritual carnal minded, looking for two big horn sticking up, see.

Jesus said, don't look for the devil to have two big horns and a big long tail and a pitch fork. Said, he comes to you as a sheep **BUT HE'S A WOLF**.

What is it? And God told Eve after that first message was given? He said, "Don't you eat of that tree, in the day that you eat of that tree of good of knowledge, is that day you'll die. **A TREE OF KNOWLEDGE! IT HAD KNOWLEDGE ABOUT THE MESSAGE**. Come on! What was it? What did the tree tell her? **ABOUT THE MESSAGE!** Am I preaching the truth, let's see your hands? (Amen) **HE TOLD HER ABOUT THE MESSAGE**. It explained the message to her. But it was not only the tree of Good but of evil. Did she die children? (Amen) Huh!

And then what happen? Shows us that we are right back to the Garden of Eden again with Cain and Abel. We are exactly right back to Geneses. See, Geneses is the seed chapter.

Now Malachi 4:5 just now sowed the seeds. For the super church that's coming. For the super Bride.

*Malachi 4:5-Reference quote:*

*<sup>5</sup> Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet before the coming of the great and dreadful day of the Lord:*

Endnote:

53-0325 - Israel And The Church #1  
William Marrion Branham

*15 Now, the Book of Genesis is the seed chapter of the Bible. That is the beginning. The word Genesis means "the beginning."*

Endnote:

*An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 5 - The Pergamean Church Age  
William Marrion Branham*

*Here is what I am trying to say to you. The law of reproduction is that each specie brings forth after its own kind, even according to Genesis 1:11, "And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, and the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so." Whatever life was in the seed came forth into a plant and thence into fruit. **The very same law applies to the church today. Whatever seed started the church will come forth and be like the original seed because it is the same seed. IN THESE LAST DAYS THE TRUE BRIDE CHURCH (CHRIST'S SEED) WILL COME TO THE HEADSTONE, AND SHE WILL BE THE SUPER CHURCH, A SUPER RACE, AS SHE NEARS HIM. THEY IN THE BRIDE WILL BE SO MUCH LIKE HIM THAT THEY WILL EVEN BE IN HIS VERY IMAGE. This is in order to be united with Him. They will be one. They will be the very manifestation of the Word of the living God. Denominations cannot produce this (wrong seed). They will produce their creeds and their dogmas, mixed with the Word. This mongrelizing brings forth a hybrid product.***

Endnote:

61-0430 - Super Sign  
William Marrion Branham

31 They say, "The days of miracles is past," and all these things. Let them prove it. "I'll give you a everlasting sign, the super Sign." Oh, yes. Now, He could've come an Angel. He could've come whatever He wished to. But He chose to come as Abraham's Seed (Amen.), **Abraham's super Seed. That's right. The way He chose to come to show in this last days God's super signs, a super race... Oh, yes. Not what you call a super race, but what God calls super race...** Because they got what? Supernatural power, with supernatural signs, through a supernatural belief in a supernatural Word, from a supernatural God. Amen. **You talk about super. Whew. Supernatural God in a supernatural body in a natural people, giving supernatural signs... Hallelujah. Yes. A super race...** **THEY THAT KNOW THEIR GOD SHALL DO EXPLOITS, GREAT EXPLOITS, AND SHOW SUPERNATURAL SIGNS: A PEOPLE, ABRAHAM'S SEED, A SIGN OF THE SUPERNATURAL CHRIST RISEN FROM THE DEAD SUPERNATURALLY.**

And it has brought us right back to Cain and Abel again. is, that right? (Amen) Two spirits worshipping God. Did Cain worship God? Why, the Bible said in the process of time it come to

pass that both Cain and Abel brought an offering unto the Lord to worship the Lord. Did the Bible say that? (Amen)

*Genesis 4:3-Reference quote:*

*3 And in process of time it came to pass, that Cain brought of the fruit of the ground an offering unto the Lord.*

Now what, the garden of Eden was a type of Pentecost. Sure, it was a type of Pentecost. It was the first message, wasn't it? Didn't they have speak the word? (Amen) Did they have the spoken word the original seed in the garden of Eden? (Amen) Did not they have the spoken word at Pentecost? (Amen) So the garden of Eden is a type of Pentecost. There was no sin at the first Pentecost, early Pentecost. No sir! Everything was beautiful and lovely. Huh! Why Adan could say, "Banana tree be moved over here" And it was over there. But there was a devil there. So, we're right back to the garden of Eden. A type of Pentecost.

*Endnote:*

*52-0900 - God's Way That's Been Made For Us*

*William Marrion Branham*

*21 There's two ways a man can go, and that's his way or God's way, and that's the right way or the wrong way. **And your way is always the wrong way, and God's way is the right way.** And you can't be in your own way and in God's way at the same time, so you got to get out of your own way so God can have His way in you. That's right. **God makes a provided way. 22 Man has always wanted to make his own way.** In the garden of Eden, God made a man so he didn't have to shift for nothing. God made him perfect, but man wanted his own way. He wanted to tamper. He wanted to find out. And then as soon as he fell... We've went through that this week, in the studies of the Scripture. He made himself a religion. He didn't wait for God to make him one. He made one hisself, but he found out that his religion, his covering, wouldn't work. That's always been man. He wants his own way. But God had a way. **So man made fig leaves and put them over him, him and his wife, but, when he come down to face God, he found out that wouldn't work. 23 And I tell you, friends, there's been a many a man, and is tonight, that's coming down to the end of the road, will find out that that little shallow religion that you're holding onto won't work. NOTHING SHORT OF BEING BORN AGAIN WILL WORK. Jesus said, "Except a man be born of water and Spirit, he will in no wise enter into the Kingdom."** No wise, no matter if he's Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, whatever he is, he'll not enter in until he's born of water and Spirit. **Born means he's "changed." He has to die before he can be born. So you got to die to yourself, be reborn, again, in Christ Jesus.** That's right. 24 Now I want you to notice, he found himself trying to make his way. We had, this morning, how Cain tried to make his way. He brought down some apples and pears and peaches and pumpkins, ever what it was, laid it upon the altar and said, "Now there, Lord, I built an altar. I built a church. I'm a good church member." See? "I go to church every day. I come here, built the altar. I put the sacrifice upon it. Now I'm going to kneel down and pray. And now, Lord, I want You to receive me." **But God refused him. 25 And that same old religious spirit lives right down amongst the church today, the very same thing, just as religious as it can be, and knows no more about God than the Hottentot would know about Egyptian night. You know that's the***

**truth. Religious spirits! Don't think that Stalin is the antichrist. The Bible said, "The two spirits would be so close together, deceive the very Elect if possible." 26 We find out that Judas Iscariot come right down, and went out and rejoiced and preached the Gospel; come back, hollering and shouting, and having a big time with the rest the disciples. Saint Matthew, the 10th chapter. But he followed the disciples right along, yet, the incarnated devil, and come right along; as Jesus was the incarnated God; the Cain and the Abel from the garden of Eden. But when it come time for him to go up to Pentecost, and get the blessing, he showed his color. 27 And when you go to talking about being born again, receiving the baptism of the Holy Ghost, nine times out of every ten, them spirits will show their colors, what they are. They'll say, "That's a bunch of fanaticism. Leave it away." Brother, it's God's provided way for man today. Hallelujah!**

Now, we have the sons of God there Able. They was put out... The church got away from the word of God and God put them out of Pentecost. Put on the outside of the power of God. No more did they have the spoken word. No more did they have the power of God and all them things. Put them out on the outside of the power of God. Why? They got away from the word of God. And that's why the blind don't see and the lame don't walk and the dead's not raised in our churches now because we've got away from the revealed word of God Children.

Endnote:

64-0617 - *The Identified Christ Of All Ages*  
William Marrion Branham

***202 The Presence of Jesus Christ, which ought to illuminate the church, to know that in THIS LAST DAYS WHERE CREEDS AND DENOMINATIONS AND ISMS AND EVERYTHING HAS GOT THE—THE WORD ALL SMOTHERED OUT, AND JESUS THE WORD ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE CHURCH, and you see Him come right back among the people and identify Himself as He promised, "in the last days when the Son of man is being revealed." He was revealed in the baptism; He was revealed in Divine healing; here He is in His last attribute. Remember, that was the last thing that Abraham saw before the fire fell and judged the Gentile world, and before the promised son came on the scene, Isaac. This is the last thing that the Christian church will see, in the sign of miracle, until the appearing of Jesus Christ.***

Endnote:

51-0714 - *Expectation*  
William Marrion Branham

**Now, always God has had someone who believed His Word. Somebody's going to expect God to fulfill His Word, while others pass It by. Now, as it was in that day, so is it now. The Church has gotten formal and got away from God. And they thought Jesus, their Christ, never would come; perhaps, maybe being many ages away. But just when they was expecting it to be way away, He was right at hand.**

Endnote:

54-1024 - *The Unpardonable Sin*  
William Marrion Branham

250 Father, that long, lengthy teaching, hard, cutting; feeling the Holy Spirit first come into the meeting and give us the blessing, that He is here, at the beginning of the teaching. Knowing that He was here! **Then thinking, turning into the Word, to the very fine point of what unpardonable sin would be, would to be...to disobey or to reject the Word of God.** 251 Then, Father, we look at that, and think, "O God, cleanse me from all unbelief. **Let me believe that this Bible is Your Word. Let me believe that It's written here for admiration and for correction, that a man might stand before God, blameless, knowing that this same Book we'll be judged from.**" 252 And He said, "**Blessed is he that keepeth the sayings of this Book, and doeth them. The same shall have a right to the Tree of Life.** But those who will not do them, will be counted as dogs and sorcerers, and so forth, who would be cast out, whose end is to be burned. Blessed is he that keepeth the sayings. And he that will take away from this Book, put something in Its place, the same will be taken, his name, out of the Book of Life. **But whosoever shall keep all these commandments, and do these things, will have a right to the Tree of Life.**" 253 God, **grant it, that I, us in this church tonight, will always walk in the Bible Light, and will do just the things the Bible says; not looking right or left, or disbelieving. What Your Word is, is Truth. Help us, Father.**

Notice there, but little Abel. Oh, I love Abel. He walked around that garden and looked in there. He looked in Acts two and four. The power of God the tongues of fire and filled with the Holy Ghost and great signs and wonders and Miracles. Abel looked there and cried, Glory to God I got to have it, I'm hungering and thirsting for it. And he walked over to the Garden and looked at it. And then he tried to slip in there and a flaming sword standing there.

What was that flaming sword? The Word of God, the Revealed Word of God. It wasn't time for him to come back into the Garden why he couldn't come. Why? Because the Messiah had to come. THE ANOINTED ONE had to come! And bring the Anointed Word, Hallelujah!

He didn't have enough of the word to get back in the Garden. Oh, this is fresh, I love it! Amen! And he walked up there and peeped in Pentecost. He read act's two and four, he read about the power of God, signs and wonders and Miracles, spoken word, curse the fig tree, walked on the water, fed the multitudes, called Lazarus from the Grave. But he hungered and thirsted for that.

And Cain said, "Oh you know this, or that, you know." It didn't satisfy Abel. "It's to bad she ate that apple", the church see. The church covering up her sin. Eve was covering up her sin, she didn't want her sin exposed. So, she told that ole lie about the apple.

But Abel didn't like it. Something about that apple didn't go down in his heart. He looked in there, look in at Pentecost, and said, "You know ain't it a shame...ain't it a shame Cain that we can't get in that garden, I'm gonna try to slip in there today." And ole Abel went over there and tried to slip in there and there was that flaming sword, wouldn't let him in. Then he'd go around this way and tried to slip in. The sword wouldn't let him in. Then he'd go over and sit down and cry. "Why, can't I get in? Why, sir they just ate an apple!" That cherubim hearing that story. "I can't see how you could be so cruel, that you won't let me in, momma just ate an apple." Then

while he just started talking out that apple thing. He walked over there by that flaming sword run up there quickly and wouldn't let him in. Abel went over and sat down after working that day and said, "Cain I don't know, I don't want to be different but I'm grieved something just don't sit right with me about mom. I mean, I Love her and everything, but this just... That church, there's something's not right there. We shouldn't be here outside of the Garden. God put us in that Garden and that's where my heart wants to be. And he said, "There's something wrong." And he said, "Now, I Got to go pray, I can't stand it any longer, I'm hungering and thirsting for God." And a...Cain said, "Well it's just all over! It's just all over! It's just all over Adam and we're all just gonna die and that's it, see." Oh, Abel said, "Oh I'm hungering for God" I'm just paraphrasing, it's just like it is today, it's no different with you and I.

Abel went over there and fell, he just couldn't hardly wait till he got to the woods, he just fell down screaming and crying. "OH, GOD! THIS APPLE LORD, I can't understand it about this apple here. Oh, God I want to get back in the Garden Lord. Daddy told me what great things you done over there. You come down and talked to them, lip to ear in the cool of the evening. How they had power to move the plants and trees around. How he had power over all the cattle's and how he was just a god over everything. Oh God! Oh Lord, where are you? I don't understand about this! Oh God, I'm hungering to get back in the Garden."

You better keep your attention! I'm getting ready to drop off a nugget here and you'll miss it. That's why you don't get no revelation, see. Some of you sitting here your minds just wondering off here down there and off down there and then you wonder why you don't see things. You'll be wishy-washy all the days of your life till you get a revelation. BE ATTENTIVE! You know that's very spirit of this hour that people don't want to be attentive to the word of God goin forth. Don't you realize that's God!

*Endnote:*

*56-0527 - At Kadesh-Barnea  
William Marrion Branham*

*130 The people, at the hour of decision now! You've got to make up your mind. This church has got to make up its mind. Every man comes to a place where there's a crucial hour. There was a crucial time come where you had to make up your mind. A judgment seat, you was at. You had to say, "I am guilty," or, "I am not guilty." When you're standing before the judge, you've got to make up your mind. 131 And, tonight, the Branham Tabernacle has got to make up its mind. We're either going to go on or go back. That's right. You're going back to garlic and—and leek, and stuff of Egypt, or you're going on to Angels' food, to the promised land where God made a promise. **We're going on to an old-fashion, Holy Ghost revival; or you'll be wish-washy, packing around, and pecking like a robin on an apple, until the day you die. You've got to make your decision. You can't go on.** "Why halt ye between two opinions?" said Elijah. "God be God, serve Him. If He's not God, then don't serve Him."*

Endnote:

61-1015E - Respects

William Marrion Branham

77 And when they come in before God, God said, "Don't you fear God?" Said that to the high priest and to Miriam the prophetess. Said, "If there be any, a man among you, who's spiritual or a prophet, I the Lord will make Myself known to him. I'll speak to him in visions and reveal Myself in dreams to him, and so forth, if he's spiritual or a prophet." But said, "My servant Moses, I speak lip to ear with him." Said, "**Don't you fear God?**" In other words, "You talk about Moses, you're talking about Me. **If you can't respect Moses, you don't respect Me.**" Said, "Haven't I proved among you that he's My servant? **And you have no reverence for him at all.**" **78 What that would be a lesson for the people of this day, no respects, no honor!**

Endnote:

63-1114 - Influence

William Marrion Branham

94 Now notice, first, that these creatures were ministering in the Presence of God. And that was Their duty, was crying, "Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty!" And They cried, day and night, in His Presence, as the sacrifice is laying there. "Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty!" 95 And I want you to notice something here, and think. Those Seraphims had two wings over Their faces. **Why would They put them over Their faces? Because They were in the Presence of God. And just think, if holy Angels has to cover Their face, in His Presence, what about us? Has the wings over Their faces, represented reverence.** 96 **BUT, TODAY, WE FIND THAT THERE IS NO REVERENCE. HARDLY YOU CAN FIND REVERENCE. THEY DON'T HAVE NO RESPECT FOR GOD.**

Don't you know there's enough revelation to speaks worlds into existence in this room right here? It's not always gonna stay like this! PRESS ON CHILDREN! PRESS ON! Stay attentive to God.

Look at little Abel wondering around out there. Down there praying and crying to God. Crying out to God. Why? He was elected, he was a seed of God, he was a seed of Adam a perfect son of God right from the lineage of God. Amen

Did you know we are the eternal word of God? Did you know that God's thoughts are eternal? Brother, if God's thoughts are eternal then WE'RE ETERNAL, hallelujah! Why, I hope you get that!

All right look at him... I'm gonna say something in a minute. People down there praying, "Oh God, I want back in that Garden Lord. What's this story about this apple? Oh, God it just don't sit right with me down there!" That's that ole denominational church. "It just don't sit with me down there Lord." Then as he was praying all at once he begin to think about that and God, quickened that by the Holy Ghost. The spirit of God come down and quickened that word of God to Abel and he got a revelation and he jumped up! Said, "It wasn't no apple, momma committed adultery. It wasn't no apple at all, she got pregnated with the devil!"

Boy, I tell you, he come out of that woods on fire! Then when he walked up there and his eyes saw Cain, and he stopped dead in his tracks. "Hup, wait a minute, that ain't my brother,

Adam ain't his father." Come on, be spiritual now! When he walked out of the woods and he run up there and there stood...his brother Abel almost said, "Ut, Ut `oh, that" ...Oh he got scared then. That ain't my...Adam ain't his father? He...What? He...that's..." A child of the Devil, an antichrist a child. Breaking it down today. See, that's a child of the Devil. What I'm I gonna do? Boy, he didn't know how to hardly tell it. He didn't know what to say, so maybe he kept it to himself for a while.

But boy, can you imagine what that done to him? Now there wasn't no separation until then. There wasn't NO SEPERATION UNTIL THEN! BUT WHEN HE GOT A REVELATION of the word of God. When a REVEALTION of what it was, the word of promise for the hour. What happen? IMMEDIATELY he knew, where the devil was laying.

He knew who the child of God was. He knew that he was the son of the father. And he knew that his father was not the father of his brother Cain. Now there's your ole Children of Disobedience, let's watch them here now.

*Endnote:*

*65-0725M - The Anointed Ones At The End Time  
William Marrion Branham*

*He that is the elected Life, the predestinated Life, that's in Me," and He is the Word, "from the beginning; when he comes forth, he'll bear My fruits." Saint John 14:12. But others will live by the same thing, calling themselves Christians and believers. "Not all that saith, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter in." Now, this is to take place and be manifested in the last days, "when the mysteries of God should be finished," as we'll get to a little later. 52 These trees, the true vine and false vine! You've heard me preach on that since, from years ago, how they've growed up together. Brought them in individuals and showed that, from Cain and Abel, the two vines that met at an altar; both of them religious, both of them anointed, both of them desiring life, and worshipping the same God. And one was rejected and the other received. And the only way that the one that was received could have done anything different from his brother, it was revealed to him. For the Bible said, "By faith..." Hebrews, 11th chapter, "By faith Abel offered unto God a more excellent sacrifice than that of Cain, which God testified that he was righteous." Jesus, said, the spiritual revelation of Who He was! "Who does man say I the Son of man am?" He said, Peter said, "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God." "Blessed art thou, Simon—Simon, son of Jonas; flesh and blood never revealed this to you. My Father which is in Heaven has revealed it. Upon this rock I'll build My Church," (what?) the true revelation of the Word. There is the true Vine again. "Abel, by faith!" You said, "It wasn't a revelation." 53 What is faith? Faith is something that's revealed to you; that is not yet, but you believe it will be. Faith is a revelation of the will of God. So, by revelation! 54 And the churches today don't even believe in spiritual revelation. They believe in a dogmatic teaching of some system. "By revelation Abel offered unto God a more excellent sacrifice than that of Cain, which God testified he was righteous." Amen. I hope you see that. See where we're living? See the hour?*

In the process of time, it came to pass that after Abel got a revelation and in the process of time the scripture said, that it come to pass that both children offered up an offering.

Now watch here, I'm gonna see if you get it!



*Genesis 4:3-Reference quote:*

*3 And in process of time it came to pass, that Cain brought of the fruit of the ground an offering unto the Lord.*

Now notice here, that in the process of time after Abel got this revelation, see. And what did the revelation do? It started exposing a lot of things. The revelation just kept going, revealing. Well, if that ain't an apple and it was the devil, then that beast they mated and then that seed in momma's womb, and that's Cain he's not my brother. Oh, it just kept going see. Can you imagine he didn't sleep that much at night?

So, in the process of time it come to pass, they come to worship the Lord. They come to the assembly to worship the Lord, see. Now what did Abel do? Here come dragging his Lamb. Here he come, DRAGGING HIS LAMB. He come...here come Abel dragging his Lamb.

And here come Cain into the same service. He had some petunias, some roses, some carrots, some turnips. Isn't that nice of Cain? Well, isn't that nice that he would bring the Lord those pretty turnip greens. Those beautiful Roses and Petunias. Isn't that nice! You know Cain is such a lovely farmer. Isn't that nice.

Now look how terrible that looked. HERE COME ABEL DRAGGING A LAMB BLEEDING AND A CRYING. AND HAD AN OLE SHARP ROCK IN HIS HAND. LOOK A THERE! What is it?

Look at Cain walking in with his roses and everything well it just looked nice. Come on! It looked better! To the natural it looked like a better offering. (Amen)

Here come that little ole lamb dragging along behind him across the ground bleeding and a cryin, a terrible sound Baa`Baa and little ole sharp rock in his hand.

They fell down to worship the Lord and Cain laid his roses out, laid his Petunia's out, laid his carrots out, laid his greens... turnip greens out or whatever it was, I don't know. But it was the fruits of the field. Laid the apple, shined it up real nice. Sure, the Lord would receive that, wonderful. Sure, he'll receive it. Knowledge in worshiping the Lord. Sure, you want to go to heaven, nobody wants to die. They was worshipping together.

But there was Abel with that little lamb. What was the difference? Abel got a revelation out there in the woods. All the time he knew that man was walking up there beside him, he knew that he didn't have revelation on the message. He knew that he was a seed... that he was a child of the devil. He knew that when Cain walked up, just like I know it!

Don't tell me! Brother Branham preached false anointed ones, the only way that you'll know is that... I don't go around telling everybody that, but I know! Why, the revealed word of God reveals. All I have to do is catch you off the word and I got you. Come on!

*Endnote:*

*64-0823M - Questions And Answers #1  
William Marrion Branham*

*41 "There shall rise..." In that now you're coming on down into another age. See? "...raise false christs and false prophets." A false christ is a false anointed, because Christ is the Anointed. How many knows that the Christ means "the anointed One"? There will be false anointed ones, and they'll call themselves prophets. **But how will you recognize them? By the***

**Word; that's how you'll know it, by the Word, whether they are right. How will we recognize them? Will be by the Word. If they're...If they say that they have the Word, and then deny the Word, then there's nothing to it, no matter what they do. They might heal the sick; they might open the eyes of the blind; and deny the Word, stay away from it. Don't care what it is, stay with that Word regardless (see?), because many times I've seen voodoo and all kinds of things take place under—under healing.**

*Endnote:*

*An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 10 - A Resume Of The Ages  
William Marrion Branham*

*Thus at this very moment we are in the complete fulfillment of Matthew 24:24, "insomuch that, if it were possible, they shall deceive the very elect." And who is it that shall attempt to deceive the very elect? **Why, the spirit of antichrist in the "false anointed ones" of this last day.** These false ones have already come in "Jesus' Name" **claiming that they have been anointed of God for the last day. They are the false Messiahs (anointed ones). They claim that they are prophets. But are they one with the Word? Never. They have added to it or taken from it.** No one denies that the Spirit of God manifesting in gifts is upon them. **But like Balaam they all have their programs, make their appeal for money, exercise gifts, but deny the Word or by-pass it for fear that a controversy might diminish their chances for greater gain.** Yet they preach salvation and deliverance through the power of God, just like Judas, with a ministry imparted by Christ. **But because they are wrong seed, consequently they have a wrong spirit motivating them. Religious? Oh my! They outshine the elect in effort and zeal, but it is Laodicean, not of Christ, for it looks for big crowds, big programs and startling signs amongst them. They preach the second coming of Christ, but deny the advent of the prophet-messenger, though in power and signs and true revelation he eclipses them all. Ah yes, this false spirit that in the last day is so close to the real, can be distinguished only by its deviation from the Word, and whenever it is caught in being anti-Word, it falls back on the one argument we have already shown to be false: "We get results, don't we? We have to be of God."***

And Abel knew that, he knew that man was of the devil. He knew that he was a seed of the devil, that he didn't have any revelation. There Cain laid out all his fruits out and everything out. And there little Abel with his little lamb. Abel said, "Oh God! He begin to worship the Lord, crying out with all of his heart and he come down with that rock and cut that lambs throat. Got his hands in there and put the blood on him. Oh, the blood Lord!"

*Endnote:*

*60-0925 - That Day On Calvary  
William Marrion Branham*

*66 Abraham don't have to wander no more, across the country, seeking a city. The sinner don't have to wonder any more, whether he can be saved or not. The sick man doesn't have to wonder whether he can be healed or not. **The opening veil, on that day at Calvary, revealed the Way to the total victory. God give us the powers of His Spirit, to live triumphantly over all these***

**things; asks us only to believe it.** That happened on that day at Calvary. There never was a day like it. There never will be one like it. It's not necessary no more. **The price is paid, and we are redeemed. Thanks be to God! We are redeemed. There's no more you have to wonder about. There's no more guessing about it. It's all took away. The veil pulled back the curtain, and we're set on a highway, not to wonder any more, but to believe and just walk right on. We walk right into God's very Presence.** 67 Abraham knew, and others knew, that while they were seeking the City, they knowed they were from Somewhere. Something had happened. They were living in a paralyzed earth. Earthquakes came. Storms come. Wars and killings! The wolf and the lamb fed on one another, or the wolf fed on the lamb, and the lion eats the ox. It don't look right. There's something wrong. He knew there was something wrong. Men and brother kill brother; father kill son, son kill father. There's something wrong. He's getting old. He's dying. He's withering away. Sickness is on him. He's in bondage. The trees grow, but not immortal. They die. The mountains change. The seas dry up. The waters fail. There's something wrong. And he sought a place, a City where that didn't happen no more. He knew, if he could ever get back into the Presence of the One that made it right, he could talk it over with Him. 68 Oh, what a privilege, sinner, it is, this morning, to know that you got the Way now. That day at Calvary opened up the way. For all those patriarchs hunted for and sought for, Calvary gave it to you, free. How would you turn it down? How would you turn it down, to join a denomination? How would you turn it down, to substitute something for it, the pleasures of the world? Why not accept it? **The opening veil brings a man right back into the Presence of God, without sin on him, of any kind. And sets a road before him, to the thing that he's seeking for: Heaven, glory, peace, Eternal Life, everything right before him.** 69 That day was the—the death blow to Satan's power. It ended everything. 70 And I can see Him there; He was Eden's lamb, from the very first shadow that come of it. 71 When Abel, by faith, offered unto God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain, he must have tied a—a grapevine around the lamb's neck, drug him up to the rock. Took a—a rock in his hand, for a lance, and pulled his little head back, and chopped and hacked him until he died. And his wool bathed with his own blood. He wallowed in his blood. It was a shadow. 72 But on that day at Calvary, there wasn't a lamb of this earth, but it was the Lamb of God, that was dying, wallowing in His Own Blood. He was hacked, and chopped, and beat, and spit on, and slammed, and smacked, and everything, by the world, and the Blood dropping off of His locks. 73 When Abel's lamb died, it died, speaking in a language that Abel could not understand. It was bleating. 74 And when God's Lamb died that day at Calvary, He spoke in a language that no one understood Him. "My God, My God, why has Thou forsaken Me?" It was God's Lamb, hacked t, chopped up. 75 **HE WAS THE VERY LAMB THAT ABEL HAD IN MIND, WHEN HE SEEN THE PROMISED SEED OF THE WOMAN. HE WAS THE LAMB THAT DANIEL SAW, THAT WAS HEWED OUT OF A MOUNTAIN, WITHOUT HANDS. HE WAS THE WHEEL IN THE MIDDLE OF THE WHEEL, FOR THE PROPHET. ALL THEY HAD FORESAW WAS MET ON THAT DAY, THAT DAY AT CALVARY. THAT BROUGHT THE GREAT THING IN. THAT BROKE THE BACK OF SATAN.** 76 First, we should seek what that day meant. Second, we should see what that day has done for us, now, what it did for us. Now, third, let's look at what we ought to do for that day. What ought we to do? 77 First, we should look into it, for it's a great day, greatest of all the days. Sin price was settled. Satan's power was broken. 78 And now we want to see what we should do in return. Now, in returns, when Jesus died at Calvary, on Calvary that day, He not only paid the price for our sins, but He also paid the price and made a way that we could follow Him; for we, as the fallen Adams that's been redeemed.

**As the Spirit led Adam (the first Adam) by the Spirit, that had control of all nature, then we (the second Adam), or the men of the earth has been redeemed by Christ, from the day of Calvary, can follow Him.** Now, when He died at Calvary, He made a way. **He gave up the Spirit, the Holy Spirit, that sent It back to the earth, for you and I to live by. That's what Calvary means to us, to follow Him.**

Notice here, that the life is in the blood. And all that was in the stem of those roses was a little sap, didn't have no life in it! I'm gonna have to let that sink in a minute. THE LIFE WAS IN THE BLOOD! There was a Life in That Blood! And there was no life in the stem of that Rose, see it was just sap. Just sap in the character, just sap in the green jelly, water and sap. But Abel knew THAT THE LIFE WAS IN THE BLOOD!

Endnote:

62-0401 - Wisdom Versus Faith  
William Marrion Branham

416 Now notice. **By faith Abel saw the revelation, the vision, and brought a living, running blood, because life was in the blood.** 417 Life is in the stem of the—of the flower. And it's botany life, which has no feeling. I was in hopes that would soak in. [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] 418 **"Abel, by faith," staying with the Word. By faith, not by wisdom. "By faith he seen that it was sex, blood."** The blood cell comes from the male. The man has the blood cell in the sperm. The hemoglobin is the blood, comes through the male. And Adam knowed that it wasn't apples, and peaches, and potatoes, or whatever it was, that brought them out of the garden of Eden, that caused the sin. **It was sex, blood, and he offered blood back. By faith he done it, not by wisdom.** 419 **How is a man, through wisdom, going to understand it, when the whole Bible and the whole Church of God is built upon Divine revelation, by faith? "Upon this rock I'll build My Church."** See? 420 Huh! "Oh," they say, "sure, we believe That." **THEN WHERE IS THE LIFE OF CHRIST IN THESE FORMS? WHERE IS THE LIFE OF CHRIST?** Second... You want to put some of these Scriptures down. See? Where is the Life? If... They say, "Well, we believe. We believe. We believe." If you do, then... 421 Jesus said, "These signs shall," not they may be, "they shall follow them that believe." Jesus said, "If a man believes on Me, the works that I do, he'll do them also. He that believeth on Me, the works that I do shall he do also." 422 He just won't play around. He'll do it. **How can it happen? Because, there's the very Life that's in Christ, is in you.** It won't put forth any wisdom; it won't grow in it. It's got to deny the wisdom, to take the—the faith. **Faith in the Word, not wisdom in the Word. Faith in the Word!** 423 Satan has got more wisdom in that Word than any, all the preachers throwed together, priests and everything. 424 Got more wisdom, but he can't have faith. Faith will make It live. Faith would make him repent, will make him get away from his organization. Hum! He's got wisdom, so he just stays with it. All right. 425 **"BUT ABEL BY FAITH SAW IT WAS A SEX ACT, AND HE OFFERED BLOOD, THE LIFE OF BLOOD, AND GOD RECEIVED IT."**

Oh, I'm gonna have to tell it to you. The real elected child of God for the rapture knows that TOKEN LIFE HAS GOT TO COME OUT OF THAT BLOOD! Hallelujah! There's no life in

knowledge, there's no Token life that comes in knowledge! But IT COMES OUT OF THE BLOOD! AND THE BLOOD IS APPLIED BY A DIVINE REVELATION of the Holy Ghost!

*Endnote:*

62-0705 - Jehovah-Jireh #1  
William Marrion Branham

*31 And that's about the way our churches has got, just took in a bunch under cold formal profession, some mystic dance or some sensation. And what do they do? **Disbelieve the Word, till we got just a nest full of rotten eggs. It's time to clean the nest and start over again. UNTIL THEY COME IN CONTACT WITH THE MALE, CHRIST JESUS, AND GET BORNED AGAIN OF THE WORD. Then they got to hatch, because it's Life.***

*Endnote:*

50-0300 - Gifts And Callings Are Without Repentance  
William Marrion Branham

*29 Let us believe Him with all of our hearts while we bow our heads. Our heavenly Father, we just love You with all of our hearts. We're so thankful that Thou has redeemed us. To think that one time we were aliens, without God, without mercy. **And Thy Son Jesus, came to the earth, and born a virgin birth, and He lived a spotless life, and was offered up as a sacrifice for us at Calvary.** He was wounded for our transgressions, and with His stripes we are healed. **OH, THE BLOOD THAT MAKES ATONEMENT. AND TONIGHT, BY THAT BLOOD AND HIS ETERNAL SPIRIT, BY THE WASHING OF THE WORD, WE'RE BROUGHT IN NOW TO BECOME THE SONS AND THE DAUGHTERS OF GOD.***

How many got that? Let me see your hands. I know some of you did! There's no life in that stem, no life in that fruit. But you see the life was in the blood. Now when you apply the Blood by a divine revelation, when you get a revelation of that Blood! CAN'T YOU SEE THAT'S WHERE ALL THE TROUBLE IS AT!! When you get a revelation of the Blood, you know that THE LIFE HAS GOT TO COME TO THAT BLOOD. That's why we got to have a revival! That's why the Token has got to seal you, see.

*Endnote:*

Take Heed How You Hear 3-19-72 Pm  
Robert Lee Lambert

**He's only obligated to a certain group of people and that's those that have understood and those that have seen. HE'S UNDER OBLIGATION TO GIVE YOU THE BAPTISM OF THE HOLY GHOST. WHY? BECAUSE HIS BLOOD IS APPLIED TO YOUR SOUL AND HE'S UNDER AN OBLIGATION TO COME TO THAT BLOOD.**

*Endnote:*

*Our Foundation Today 1-31-71 Am*

*Robert Lee Lambert*

*Hang on that, there. They were claiming eternal life and Jesus Christ said, **"If you don't eat what I say --. If you don't eat this message I'm preaching --. Because my blood is in that revelation and if you don't take my blood, you don't have any life in you.** You can claim the token baptism of the Holy Ghost, **BUT IF YOU DON'T EAT THIS REVELATION AND YOU DON'T DRINK THE BLOOD THAT'S IN IT, THEN YOU DON'T HAVE ANY LIFE IN YOU, YOU ARE LOST!***

*Note when a man receives the revelation of the revealed Word. You can't just read the Bible and see a scripture and say, "I'm saved now." No! **This is all dead letter until revelation comes to it. You cannot appropriate the blood of God by just reading it in the Bible.***

Oh my, no separation till the revelation Abel got. What happen immediately? Brother when he offered up that... Come on! When he offered up that blood sacrifice and put that blood on him, what was he looking to? By a Revelation he was looking to the promise one. He was looking to the promise by a, Divine Revelation and covered by the Blood. Knowing the Life has got to come to the Blood. The life is in the Blood.

Now what happen? God's audible Voice spoke out and said, "My beloved son Abel I love your sacrifice!" And there he began to speak kind words to Abel, and Cain heard it. And Cain kept a waitin for God to come down and pour the token, pour the life upon his interpretation and it would not come. Then he got madder and madder. Then after service they went out... And the Bible said, as they walked through the field Cain talked with Abel. What do you recon they talked about children? Farming? Do you think they talked about farming or cattle? Huh! After all they just heard the audible Voice of God speak. They had just seen God consume Abel's sacrifice and accepted it. A revival had done broke out. Huh! Sure, I said revival broke out.

What is the Token? The Token comes to receive your sacrifice. BY FAITH ABEL OFFERED UNTO GOD A MORE EXCELLENT SACRIFICE. And by that excellent sacrifice he became righteous! Is, that right? (Amen) And God came down and proved which one was his children! Abel didn't have to say nothing about it, God proved that Cain wasn't his son.

What did God say, "Why are you mad? Said, "If you do well, God will bless you." But if you don't, sin layeth at the door, unbelief is lying at the door, you disbelieved the message.

That's just the way it's gonna be when this Token is poured out. We're gonna find out, why the Token won't come upon you. Is because you're a disbeliever. I don't care what you say. If that Token life don't come upon us we're a disbeliever. Is, that right? (Amen)

And then they went along they talked about it. They talked! And the Bible said they talked. What did they talk about? They talked about the Revelation. Cain jumped on him about the revelation he was preaching. Is, that right? (Amen) Cain jumped on him and begin to tear his hide up. And what did he do? He killed him! What did he kill him for?

It goes to show you that friend, if you got a Revelation you better stay alone. You better watch who you talk to. As soon as you let that Revelation out and you believe that, he's gonna leap right on you with all four feet. Do you believe he will? (Amen) Just try it. The spirit of the devil working in the Children of Disobedience they hate divine revelation.

As that little brother down in British America, south of Trinidad there in Central America wrote me another letter the other day and his little accent is so funny. He said... I can just hear him tell it said, "Brother Lambert, he said, "The devil hate the Revelation on the Token." He said, "Oh, he hates the Revelation on the Token." Said, "I had four more leave me." He said, "Oh, how he hates the Revelation on the Token." That's right, he sure does!

Got another letter from Brother Kennedy down there. "Oh brother Lambert, when you left everything is all tore to pieces." That's wonderful! If Gods Revelation tears it up, it needs to be tore up, see. As long as it's tore up for the truth, see. By error that's bad. Now he said, "The congregation every week that you've been gone gets thinner and thinner and thinner and thinner. I wrote back and said, "Perfect will of God, press on to revival" Oh, yes sir! Press on that's the perfect will of God. Yes, sir.

You know so many...so many are so concerned about how many mores coming. How many is coming to the meeting. I don't worry about that! My problem is. Lord don't let nobody come here that you don't send. Cause what you've got, is an unbeliever! What's that do? Just binds you up all the time, and buffet you see.

See, what is it? Let me say this! Know that Abel's Revelation exposed the error of Satan, see. Cain was not Adam's son. And Enoch the seventh from Adam prophesied. Nowhere in the genealogy was he Adam's son, see. What happen? Revelation straightened that error out.

And what is it? The seventh sealed mystery of the Bible has been opened to give the elected Bride a Revelation of who is the seed of God and who ain't.

*Endnote:*

*65-0801M - The God Of This Evil Age  
William Marrion Branham*

*160 Now notice her long hair, **Nazarite vow to the Word**. I'll picture the Bride of Christ now. We picture the antichrist, where she is, religious and everything, science. **Now the humble little Bride of Christ just simply believes the Word, whoever She is. It's individuals.** I hope and trust that there's many setting present, many listening in. And I hope that myself, and every one of you all, are part of that Bride. I hope many. **And, it will, all that's been ordained to that will be that, 'cause it's their nature. They see. The Word can only recognize the Word. It can't recognize a denomination or a perversion. It knows better; It's the Word. See? It can't recognize nothing... A wheat can't be nothing but a wheat. It started, a wheat; it'll head up, a wheat. And a weed can never be a wheat, yet it's watered by the same anointing. See? But it ain't a wheat. As I said the other day, about the tree with the different branches in it. 161 Her long hair, Nazarite vow, shows that She is vowed to God. Her beautiful gown of His promised Word for the age that She is living in, wrapped around Her, vindicating Her with Himself, of Hebrews 13:8, "Jesus Christ the same yesterday, today, and forever." As, She is a part of the Word Groom, true to Him in every point. 162 Now look. If a woman goes out here and is married to a man, and she goes out and makes love with another man and has an affairs with him, and come back to her husband, he should kick her out. Is that right? She must be true to him, 'cause she is vowed to him. And the Bride of Christ is vowed to Christ; and He is the Word. Not even wink at the other side, a woman should not even wink at another man. She should make no signs, no emotions at all towards him, for she is absolutely a bride to one bridegroom. 163 We don't want none of your mixed trees, your denominations. Be true to Christ, the Word. He'll vindicate***

***It to be true.*** No, sir, not even any emotion of anything towards making love to him, not join his ranks or anything else, or let him get you in his arms or in his care, or—or talk to you over this way, that way. ***You listen only to one Voice. “My sheep know My Voice. A stranger they’ll not...”*** What is His Voice? Any man’s voice is his word. And this is It, the Bible, not one word to be added to It or taken from It. ***Just stay right with that Voice. “A stranger they won’t follow,” a denomination. 164 As, She is part of the Groom, true to Him in every point, waiting the Wedding. Uniting,*** not at the ecumenical council; but in the sky, at the Wedding Supper. She has been given... This is for our own church. The... ***SHE HAS BEEN GIVEN, AND REVEALED TO HER, THE SEVEN-SEAL MYSTERIES OF THE BIBLE. See? She sees the folly of the deceiver,*** so very close to the Truth, that almost deceive the Elected. ***She sees it. She... 165 See the two opposing spirits at work in this evil age? Can you see it? Each very religious, Cain and Abel, spirits again coming to their heads, still same as they started. One, worshipping by beauty, and by knowledge, and by education, and by science, and by ethics. And the other One, by faith of the revelation of the Word of God. Both of them is standing right in this building this morning.*** That’s right. 166 ***Revelation, or faith, in His Word, makes no claims of knowledge; the real, true Christian.***

They say, “Have you got a—you got a doctor’s degree?” Makes no claims. ***“I—I believe His Word.” See? Doesn’t make any claims. Doesn’t claim to be educated. Doesn’t belong to any denomination, any party, any sect. It belongs to Christ. It’s His Wife; not a church wife. She’s a prostitute. The Bible said she was a “whore,” and, “THE MOTHER OF HARLOTS,” and they all come together and make the same whore. And that kind of a woman is a woman that’s untrue to her Husband; and claiming Christ as her husband, and belonging to a denomination. Such nonsense! We belong to Christ. 167 But, in obedience, this little faith Woman, that lives by faith, the Bride;*** the person here, there; here, off somewhere else, some other church, some other denomination, whatever it is, in some not... ***Believes the Word of God, obedient, waiting in love, for the promise of the age to be confirmed. She is watching for it. She is part of that Word, and She is watching for Her life to manifest that Word. Brethren, can’t you see that? I hope that didn’t go over you. The Body is waiting for (which is the Word), waiting for the Life (which is the Spirit) to confirm or make It alive. That’s what She is waiting for. No other life will work in Her. She can’t come to life any other way. Yet, She feels it out there, and She knows it’s going to happen; then here it happens, then She wakes up. God said, “Let there be,” and She came forth like the first one come forth. 168 “Children of disobedient” means obedience... Disobedience means “rebellion.” I looked that up in the dictionary, to be sure. Rebellion, rebelling against (what?) the revealed Word of God. Like Cain revealed... rebelled against Abel’s revealed revelation, vindicated of God that it was righteous. And Cain rebelled against it, and slew his brother. The Pharisees, with their own denominational knowledge of what the Word of God was, selected hand-picked man, ***rebelled against the vindicated Word of God made manifest for the day, Jesus Christ, and killed Him. That right? That’s what “the children of disobedience” is, a rebellion against the Word of God. Now see where they are? “Oh, days of miracles is past. Jesus Christ is not the same yet. There is no such a thing as the baptism of the Holy Ghost. All that stuff is nonsense!” See, rebellion! They don’t have to say two things; just have to say one, that’s all. That’s rebellion, right there. They can’t say you don’t have eyes, you don’t have ears; you got to take the whole body, the whole Word. See?******



Now Brother Branham said, “How you gonna tell? I got you out on a limb, give it the word test.”

*Endnote:*

*62-0318 - The Spoken Word Is The Original Seed  
William Marrion Branham*

*330 Give it the Word test. That's the way to tell whether it's right or wrong. That's, just—just give it the Word test, see what it says about the Word. Any spirit, see what it says about the Word. If it denies the Word, it's not of God. See? No matter what it is, if it denies the Word, it's not of God. **Look, give it the Word test, and see what happens.***

Now watch here, Brother Branham made this statement on Satan's Eden or on one of those tapes said, “The word of Revelation is light and light shines in darkness. And said when you hear a noise in the room, it sounds mysterious a bunch of something working and you don't know what it is, said quickly turn on the light, open the door and turn on the light.” Turn on Revelation, see. “And quickly crickets and roaches,” there they are Children of darkness. And when the revelation flashes they scatter away. They went out from us cause they we're not of us. You believe that children?

*Endnote:*

*65-0801M - The God Of This Evil Age  
William Marrion Branham*

*76 The doctors take instruments and try to find what's wrong. They can't do it. **We can't tell. But then the Holy Spirit comes out and reveals what he is, and exposes him. See? That's what the Word of God is. It is a Light that shines in darkness. And when you take a noise in the room, it sounds mysterious; a bunch of something working, and you don't know what it is. Turn on the light, quickly...Crickets, roaches, they're—they are children of the darkness. And when the light flashes, they scatter away. “They went out from us because they wasn't of us,” the Bible said. See? They cannot live in the Light of the world...For, the God of Heaven has sent His Light in this last days, that He might lighten the path for His children, that they might not walk in darkness and stumble, but they might walk in the Light of the shining of Jesus Christ, the same yesterday, today, and forever. Amen!** 77 Notice, Satan not called the god of any other age but this age. It was his ambition to be like God, from the very beginning.*

*Endnote:*

*60-1204E - The Patmos Vision  
William Marrion Branham*

*33 Now, these virgins that did not get the Holy Spirit, (You remember?) the only thing they lacked was oil in their lamps. Is that right? The Bible said the oil symbolizes the “Holy Spirit,” that's the reason we anoint the sick with oil, and so forth, because it's a symbol of the Holy*

*Spirit. Now, and then if—if the Holy Spirit did not come upon them, they did not have It. And then when He come, they said...Now, to the virgins that did have the oil, said... 34 You see, they were back in the church age; there was some of them in there that was good people but they wasn't in the star Light, what I mean, with the wick dipped into the oil. See, and it was out. It was gone out, they had separated themselves. Paul said, in his day, "**They separated themselves from us, seemingly not having the faith.**" See, and went away from them, "**They went out from us because they wasn't of us.**" Now, it started back in that early Ephesian age and comes on down into this age today. Same thing, every one of those ages, what happened in them lapped over into these ages down here. We're going to get into that deeply in a little while.*

Let me read a scripture to you. You're not goin nowhere are you? (No) Oh, I thought maybe you we're in a hurry.

Well! Listen to John 3:19 on this statement I just made.

*John 3:19-21-Reference reading:*

*19 And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil.*

*20 For every one that doeth evil hateth the light, neither cometh to the light, lest his deeds should be reproved.*

*21 But he that doeth truth cometh to the light, that his deeds may be made manifest, that they are wrought in God.*

*John 3:19-Reading Ad-lib:*

*19 And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than... Revelation... light, because their deeds were evil. There's your ole tree of knowledge of evil, "because their deeds were evil."*

John 3:19 that little John gospel of John. "*because their deeds were evil*".

*20 "For every one that doeth evil hateth the" ... Revelation... Now that doesn't mean you're out there smoking and drinking and running around, adulterer, prostitute. No, it don't mean that. An evil heart of unbelief, see that's what it is.*

*"neither cometh to the" ... Revelation... "lest his deeds should be reproved."*

*21 "But he that doeth truth" ... Revelation..." He that doeth truth cometh to the" ... Revelation... "that his deeds may be made manifest, that they are wrought in God."*

There you go! There's your children of disobedience and children of obedient. Now another scripture quickly, I'm gonna hurry as fast as I can. Unless I don't jump another rabbit.

*Ephesians 5:6-Reading:*

*6 Let no man deceive you with vain words: for because of these things cometh the wrath of God upon the children of disobedience.*

*Ephesians 5:6 Ad-Lib*

Said, *6 Let no man deceive you with vain words: for because of these things cometh the wrath of God upon the children of... What?... of disobedience.*

“Let no man deceive you with vain words:” What is vain words? Empty words. It means, void empty void, useless and worthless. Ain’t that terrible? (Amen) Let no man... Let no preacher... deceive you with vain words: Empty words... See, void. What are they void of? They are void of the divine revelation of the hour, see. And that renders them useless. What’s useless? See, it will only do you harm, see. Is, that right? (Amen) Vain words, beware of men speaking to you vain words, see. Empty words, useless void. They’re void of revelation. And they have a spirit of error in the knowledge that they’re feeding you to dam your soul. To keep you from the promise word of the hour for the Bride of Christ, see. Is that true children? (Amen)

Notice here these vain words are made void of any divine revelation. And they will coin those words in such a way...I don’t have time to get into that, it would take too much time. But to talk down...I preached this in another message. But these Vain words of Preachers without the revelation upon the promise word for the hour. With knowledge, no matter how shroud it is, they’ll hide it real cunning and shrewd, but they will talk down the revelation. They’ll talk it down every time. With what? With Knowledge! And if you don’t have a revelation, when you hear them preachers, you’ll leave that meeting just as confused as can be. But you can’t confuse a man that’s got a divine revelation, see. So, watch out there!

See, if a man can confuse you on the Token, you ain’t got no revelation. Not yet see! And your womb is just wide open, see. It’s laying wide open. And you could receive a seed in there that would pregnate you to death through the tribulation. How many realize that? (Amen) But until you get a divine revelation...What did the Bible say, “The gates of hell” No matter what the preacher preaches cannot prevail against a man or woman that’s got a revelation like Abel.

*Endnote:*

*63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery Of God Revealed  
William Marrion Branham*

232 Now watch. **“Blessed art thou, Simon Bar-jona,”** says, which means, “son of Jona.” See? **“Blessed art thou, for flesh and blood never revealed This to you.** You never learned It from some school. **But My Father which is in Heaven has revealed It to you.** Notice what He said to him, **“Upon this rock...”** That’s Peter, the predestinated Seed of God that had received this Light, and given the keys to the Kingdom. **“Upon this rock of revelation of Who Jesus Christ is,” He is the full, manifested God. “Upon this rock...”** Not a Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; and Him being the second Person. **“Upon this rock I’ll build My Church, and the gates of hell will never shake It down, never prevail against It.”** See? **“I’ll build My Church upon this rock,” a revelation of Jesus Christ.** 233 Look, Christ in you makes Him the center of Life of the revelation. See? Christ’s Life in you makes Him the center of the revelation. Christ, in the Bible, makes the Bible the complete revelation of Christ. Christ in you makes you the complete revelation of the whole thing, see, what God is trying to do. **234 WHAT IS THE NEW BIRTH THEN? YOU’D SAY, “WELL, BROTHER BRANHAM, WHAT IS THE NEW BIRTH?” IT IS THE REVELATION OF JESUS CHRIST PERSONALLY TO YOU.** Amen! See? Not you joined a church, you shook a hand, you done something different, you said a creed, you promised to live by a—a code of rules. **But Christ, the Bible, HE IS THE WORD THAT WAS REVEALED TO YOU.** And no matter what anybody says, what takes place, it’s Christ; pastor, priest, whatever it might be. **It’s Christ in you, that is the revelation that the Church was built**

**upon.**

Do you think that Cain could get the best of Abel after he come out of the bushes there praying? No! But see, if it's... Now I'm gonna get on that in just a minute. I hope you're not in a hurry, this is life children.

Now let me read John... Matthew real quickly. Now you read these scriptures see, when you go home and look at them and pray about them.

Matthew 15:7 I get to hurrying and then I get nervous, I lose the spirit see.

*Matthew 15:7-8-Reading*

*7 Ye hypocrites, well did Esaias prophesy of you, saying,*

*8 This people draweth nigh unto me with their mouth, and honoureth me with their lips; but their heart is far from me.*

*Matthew 15:7-Reading Ad-lib*

*7 Ye hypocrites,* Now, what is a hypocrite? That word hypocrite in the Greek means an actor. That was used for an actor. You actors! What is a hypocrite? He's an actor? What's he acting like? A Christian? Come on! You actors, acting like you're a Christian.

*"Well did Esaias prophesy of you, saying,*

*8 This people draweth"* ...See it's people see... *"draweth nigh unto me with their mouth, and honoureth me with their lips; but their HEART"* ...Where is revelation at? IN THE HEART!

And where was Cain worshipping God? In the head by knowledge! And so, they give God a bunch of lip service. "Yes, I believe the message, Yes I... Oh yes he's a prophet." Lip service. But they won't let God get down in their heart! Why? Then they go home and watch them sit in front of an ole colored television. And a tape recorder in the other room to.

See, that women there say, she believes. Now, course I know a sinner girl they don't know no better. Every one of you girls used to have short hair till you heard the preacher. All you used to have short dresses till you heard the preacher. All used to smoke, drink do all these things. But now you've come to Christ, see that's altogether different see.

But see, when a person says, "I love the Lord, I'm a Christian" And Then you go and sit and watch them ole televisions and all them dirty things and listen to all those boogey-woogey music and all that junk and wearing all those filthy things. Then that's a hypocrite see! Then they come right up there, come to the meetings play their tape recorder play tapes and say, "Yes I believe." But what is that? That's a hypocrite, see he's an actor. He's just acting like he's a Christian, see. And God hates that see!

Now watch this! "With their lips; but their heart is far from me." See, God can't get the word in their heart by revelation.

Now, you know the devil chooses the head. Come on! The devil takes the head and gives you knowledge. But God gives his children a revelation in the heart. And I don't care if the head gives way! The anchor will hold in the heart, see. Then the heart will make the head line up with what's in the heart. Now, if you just got what's in your heart nothing, then you're gone. You got nothing there to anchor you, you see!

I've heard men come right in this door and heard me preach, many of them. And then down in Texas and Louisiana, oh just stir everything up. God's spirit getting to moving and people start

wanting to move and sell out and they start driving big long distances. Why? They get to hearing that revelation and it catches their attention, see. Then the next thing you know they... the word starts grinding on their door step one morning. It kinda gets to hitting home. Oh, how I seen the women, oh my it's just pitiful see. What is it? They can't give God their heart. They got something down in there that their holding onto. Like some a...they just can't give up the world, see. Their attracted to that television see. Not that they ain't good, see. But their souls are feeding upon that, see. And they just got enough of God to keep them from stealing and lying and cheating and running around. See, but they still like the sound of that rock-in roll music. Their attracted to that television. They just got to do these things, see. And yet they fear God and they know the message and can't line up, see. There's where your devils laying right there, hypocrite.

*Endnote:*

*55-1110 - A Hidden Life In Christ  
William Marrion Branham*

*25 Notice, every year the high priest entered into that place. The congregation followed him up. And when he went into this great place where the veil dropped behind him, the inner courts, the holiest of holies, no one dared to go after him. Then he was alone with God. What a beautiful picture it is today of a consecrated life who, once enters into with Christ, dead to the things of the world, hid away with God, and the veil's dropped down around, and all the world's shut off. Then Christianity and religion becomes a pleasure to every believer. **Today people just have enough religion to make them miserable, knowing that they ought to do this, they're trying to escape hell. Well, if that's the way I felt about it, brother, I don't know what I would do. Oh, get in with Christ. Shut off from the things of the world, for, to commune with Him is a pleasure. It's beautiful. It's something that fills and satisfies the soul, something that gives you peace that passes all understanding. All the crosses become flying wings. All the burdens are chariot wheels. Oh, you can fly away. 26 "My burdens are light." Yoke up with Him, the yoke is all padded with Hallelujahs. When you're once inside the veil with Him, He becomes your life. The prophet said that in... The people of the old days said I... That He would write His laws anew. He would put them in their heart.***

Watch here the ninth verse.

*Matthew 15:9-Reference quote:*

*9 But in vain they do worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men.*

*"But in vain..." Vain means, useless, worthless... they do worship me... In other words, it's useless to worship God like that. If you still love... The Bible said. "If you the things of the world the Love of God is not in your heart!" Is, that right? (Amen)*

*1 John 2:15-Reference quote:*

*15 Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.*

It's vain! Just go out in the world, don't claim to be a Christian. If you can't keep from cutting your hair and living in the world and everything, just say I'm not a Christian. Stay out in the world, go ahead and live like a hog! But when you want to get cleaned up, COME TO CHRIST. COME WITH ALL YOUR HEART! LET HIM CLEAN UP THAT OLE HEART. Hallelujah! Then you'll not be a stumbling stone. You'll not be a stumbling block, see. And God respects a sinner, he'll have respect for the sinner. He'll respect a sinner!

But when you come and say you're a Christian, oh look out now you've done something then. Once your mouth says, "I'm a Christian." Look out boy, you're in for it then. It's best to say no sir, "I ain't no Christian." You shouldn't be quick to say, "I'm a Christian." When you say, Christian that means your like Christ. And that sinner out there is gonna hold you responsible for living that life before them. They'll turn right around and put they're finger on you. You cheat and do them little ole things and act that way, they'll say, "Yeah she supposed to be so holy, see" Now throw that right up in the face of Jesus. No, make up your mind and count the cost if you want to be a Christian.

I tell you; people think that Christians are a bunch of sissies... What does God say, they're a bunch of rugged people. He don't say they're a bunch of soft, doddy, wishy-washy people. Just look, their sinners but I tell you they're men and women. It takes a real man to be a Christian. It takes a real young man to stand out and be different from the crowd.

But I ain't got no respect for a boy...I ain't got no respect for a boy that'll bow down. My own son, come in with that long hair. As long as he in my house, he ain't gonna wear that junk, As long as I can do anything about it.

I ain't got no respect for a boy that acts like a girl. Let the boys overwhelm us see. Make him act like their acting or a girl, I want my girls to be their self. I want my boy to be his self. See! If a Christian don't produce some men, then there ain't gonna be none any longer. If we don't produce some Christians boys, there ain't gonna be none. Because their all bunch of big sissies. Why, don't they go ahead and get them some little underneath panties and lace and all that and some little frills, and just go ahead and don't ware no britches. You ain't fit, the boys now aren't fit to wear a man's pants. I'M NOT MAKING A JOKE! I'M SERIOUS! That's why God's gonna burn this thing. He wants a man to be...

I tell you my father is a man! God's a God of judgement and wrath in battle, hallelujah! He's a warrior!

Brother, I think about the day's when God was dealing with the prophet David and them mighty men would come by the side of that anointing. Why them was men! They may not have been great big seven foot tall. But I tell you what! What meat that was on them was all man! Everything about them was a man! Why if they we're in battle one day and it was snowing out and cold, I guess about twenty degrees. Boy, he just wanted to fight. God stirred him up, he wanted to do something, not sit around let's get into battle. Let's take this thing, David said! So, he didn't have nothing to do and he just grabbed his sword and went down, and he knew there was a man there that had set a trap for some lions, I guess. And it said, he went down there in this lion pit and there was three lions in there. Why he didn't have nothing else to do, so he just jumped in there and took them all on, single handed and killed all three of them. Now, that's a man! What you got up here, right up next to this Token and everything just...I ain't got two cents for a wishy-washy fella. "Well I don't know, I thought he was right. Well, you know" (*Brother Lambert talks in a weak sissy, wishy-washy voice of a man*) Oh, boy, THAT JUST MAKES ME SICK! PULL THAT SWORD OUT AND KILL THAT THING! Press through them devil's children. Somebody's gonna do it.

Endnote:

62-0318 - *The Spoken Word Is The Original Seed*  
William Marrion Branham

**266 That's exactly the way Christ has to get Him a Bride now; He's found the so-called group preganated. He's going to sow His Seed. SOMEBODY IS GOING TO GET IT, BECAUSE THEY'RE PREDESTINATED TO BE A CHURCH AT THE END OF THE ROAD.**

Endnote:

63-1229M - *There Is A Man Here That Can Turn On The Light*  
William Marrion Branham

205 Don't you think because you're Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, that you have any hold on God. **GOD IS ABLE TO TAKE BOOTLEGGERS AND HARLOTS OUT OF THE STREET, MAKE SONS OF GOD OUT OF THEM. SOMEBODY IS GOING TO HEAR IT, AND SOMEBODY IS GOING TO BELIEVE IT.**

Endnote:

63-0901M - *Token*  
William Marrion Branham

89 And the Church in this day, that's received the Token, of the baptism of the Holy Spirit, that the Blood has been shed and that the Holy Ghost is upon the Church; **without us, then, they cannot raise. But they're depending on us, for God promised He would have It, and somebody is going to be there. I DON'T KNOW WHO IT'S GOING TO BE, BUT SOMEBODY IS GOING TO RECEIVE IT.** The only one thing I'm responsible, is to preach It. It's God's business to look out for that predestinated seed. There is going to be there, though. Because, they're going to be there, each one of them, one with the other; the water age, the Blood age, and now the Token age of the Holy Ghost. 90 And, remember, Israel come through many things, but it was evening time when the token was required; not in the morning, not in the preparation, the fourteen days of the keeping up of the lamb. Israel knowed something was coming.

God told Joshua, "Stand Up there and be strong, be courageous, be valiant, said the Lord thy God is with you!" As I was with the prophet Moses, I'm with you! **I'M PERSUDED THAT HE IS WITH THIS BRIDE OF JESUS CHRIST! SO WE'LL MARCH TO REVIVAL hallelujah!** God we're more than able to take the land. More than able, look at them!

*Joshua 1:6-9*

<sup>5</sup> **There shall not any man be able to stand before thee all the days of thy life: as I was with Moses, so I will be with thee: I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee.**

<sup>6</sup> **Be strong and of a good courage:** for unto this people shalt thou divide for an inheritance the land, which I swore unto their fathers to give them.

<sup>7</sup> **Only be thou strong and very courageous,** that thou mayest observe to do according to all the law, which Moses my servant commanded thee: turn not from it to the right hand or to the left, **that thou mayest prosper withersoever thou goest.**

<sup>8</sup> *This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then **thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.***

<sup>9</sup> ***Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.***

*Matthew 15:9-Reading:*

*9 But in vain they do worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men.*

<sup>9</sup> *“But in vain they do worship me, teaching for doctrines the” ...Knowledge of man. Come on! What is it? It’s all vain! It’s vain to worship the Lord that way. Just in the head knowledge see. Now what is it? Cain’s children today that’s opposing Abel today, hating him, speaking evil of him, see. What they got is just a head knowledge.*

*I’m closing in just a minute now.*

*All they got is a head knowledge. They don’t have no divine revelation down in their heart. And they worship the Lord, sure they worship the Lord! But they only worship the Lord with their MOUTH!*

*But the BRIDE GIVES JESUS THEIR HEART, SHE IS IN LOVE WITH THAT BRIDEGROOM. AND WHAT IS THE BRIDEGROOM? THE TOKEN is the Bridegroom! And that BRIDEGROOM IS COMING!*

*Now Brother Branham cried out, “Behold the Tokens coming! The Bridegroom is the Token! What, I’m I preaching something strange? (No) How many believes it’s the token? Well, if you don’t know that you don’t know the message. The Bridegroom is the Token.*

*Endnote:*

*63-0901E - Desperations*

*William Marrion Branham*

***AND THE HOLY GHOST IS THE TOKEN THAT THE BLOOD HAS BEEN APPLIED, BECAUSE IT FOLLOWS THE BLOOD ALL THE WAY FROM THE BOOK OF REDEMPTION. SEE IT? THAT WAS THE PURPOSE OF HIM COMING. That’s what He followed in every age. Every age He has followed that, to see that It’s brought forth, and they could not be made perfect without us. AND NOW THE ENTIRE HOLY SPIRIT VISITS THE CHURCH, MAKING GOD IN HUMAN FLESH; as He did before Sodom, the burning there, which was a type. Then, Abraham, He appeared to him. 22 And all the things that He hasn’t done down through the ages, in the church ages, He is now doing. Back to the Word, because the messages and the messages and the messages has to wind up in the entire Word. And in the last days, the Seven Seals being opened, was to pick up every straggle that’s been left off in it, and make the whole thing in one great big body of the Bride, that them who lived back there was not perfect until this Church be perfected, this Bride group in the last days, to bring them in, and all together be taken up. See?***

*Now notice here, see with a head knowledge they worship the Lord with a head knowledge, with their mouth. “Oh, Lord I love you, I believe the message,” with a lip service. But down in*



their heart... They know down in their heart they know they're not giving it to God. No revelation in the heart, it's all up in their head, see.

But the true worshippers, John 4:23 if you want to write it down. Just look at it. John 4:23. We just got a minute I'll read it. Listen to this.

*John 4:23-24-Reading:*

*23 But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth: for the Father seeketh such to worship him.*

*24 God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth.*

*John 4:23-Reading Ad-Lib*

*23 But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers... See like Abel see... when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in" ... the Revelation, see... "for the Father seeketh such to worship him.*

*24 God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth*

Now what is it? God is seeking the elected Bride to worship him by a revelation upon the promise word for the hour. In your heart, you worship God in your heart, not in your head. But IN YOUR HEART, you give him a heart rendered service, see. Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks what's in your heart. "I love you Lord" and you begin to worship him in a divine revelation.

Now, here's Cain's children, they come up with just a, no revelation. All they got is just a stem... The life is in the stem of the rose you see. But what is it? Just sap out of the ground.

But in the Blood, there's Life! The true worshippers are worshipping under what? THE BLOOD! The true worshippers are worshipping under the BLOOD. And Cain worshippers are not under the... DON'T YOU SEE IT? They're not under the BLOOD! Why? Because they have a head knowledge. You've got to have a revelation down in your heart to be under the Blood!

Well, you might think the Baptist are under the blood and the Methodist are under the blood. It's like I always said, "Children they ain't even got no Blood!" The Blood is in the word! And you can only see the word by a divine revelation in your heart.

See look at it! See Abel's sacrifice had life, it had life in the Blood see, Life, quickening.

The Bible said, "Wine, don't hurt my oil and my wine" See, wine revelation. Abel's worship had life in it.

*Revelation 6:6-Reference quote:*

*6 And I heard a voice in the midst of the four beasts say, A measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny; **and see thou hurt not the oil and the wine.***

Now you go in some of these assembly's and they sit there all dead, why because there's no revelation. You go in there and their all bound up and all chained up. Though their playing tapes and their speaking on the message, and just as dead as can be. Why? No blood there! Why, the life is in the blood.

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28 *And where does the fruit ripen at quickly? In top of the tree. Why? The light's on it. Amen! That's right. And right in the top of the tree, in this last days, He's bringing forth a Bride Tree.* 429 Now remember, He is that Tree of Life, contrary to "the serpent's seed," you see. He's that Seed, "the woman's Seed," the Tree of Life in the garden. "And lest they put forth their hands and move this Tree, they'd eat that Tree and live forever." And **HE'S THE ONLY TREE THAT CAN BE TAKEN, THAT YOU CAN LIVE FOREVER. HIS WORD IS LIFE. And that be the Word then, the Word of God which Eve turned down in the garden of Eden; THEN HERE IS CHRIST, THE WORD, MADE MANIFEST. 430 AND WHEN HE COME ON EARTH, HE WAS THE TREE OF LIFE.** Do you believe that? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] **And Rome, what did they do? He had to be chopped down.** And He was put on a tree of disgrace, "cursed is he that hang on a tree," become a curse for the human race. **431 And now through that, He brings forth a Bride Tree, which will be the Tree of Life restored back to Him, as Husband and Wife in the garden of Eden, (oh, glory to God) by the same Word and the same God made manifest in Husband and Wife, the same Bride Tree back again.** 432 Notice, making it known! How...My, there's just so much here, we could just keep on going. Notice, this Tree, of Christ's Body, in the garden. **MAKING, NOW MAKING HIS MYSTERY KNOWN TO THIS BRIDE TREE. 433 WATCH, REDEEMED BY CHRIST, THE SECOND ADAM.** You believe He was? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] **Going back Home, to Eden, with His fallen wife redeemed back Home again. That's Christ in the Church today, taking His Wife back. See the threefold mystery now? ["Amen."] GOD MANIFESTED IN CHRIST; CHRIST MANIFESTED IN THE CHURCH; ALL TOGETHER, TO BRING BACK THE ORIGINAL ADAM AND EVE AGAIN, MAN AND WOMAN, WHICH ARE ONE, MADE OUT OF THE SAME BLOOD AND SAME SPIRIT, AND EVERYTHING ELSE. 434 The Church is the Blood of Christ, by the Spirit, because the—THE LIFE IS IN THE BLOOD. THAT'S THE BAPTISM OF THE HOLY GHOST that baptizes us into His Body, that recognizes only His Body, His flesh, His Word.** [Brother Branham pats his Bible—Ed.] 435 Denomination won't, never touch that. It's a revelation. She knows it. So did Eve know it, but she fell; but this one knows it, and won't fall. **She is ordained! Hallelujah! Whew! She is ordained to not fall. She won't fail. She is predestinated to it. "Blessed is the man who God will not impute sin."** You ministers know what I'm speaking of, when there's a couple dozen of you sitting here. See? "Blessed is the man who God will not impute sin," David. 436 Notice, redeeming back, with Him, going Home; back to Eternal Life in a human body, eating, drinking, living forever. Isaiah said, "They would build houses and inhabit them, plant vineyards and eat the fruit. They'll not build and another take it." The children won't take it, but they'll be there with their offsprings. He'll build it and stay there. Amen. "He don't build, and another eat; he builds and eats, himself." Amen! What is it? **His Bride going back with Him, redeemed back to the original Adam and Eve again, for death is left behind. They look back at the cross and see the death has been paid. 437 And now, by faith, we are resurrected with Him, sitting in Heavenly places right now, looking back to what redeemed us; waiting for the Husband to come, to march on Home with Him.** 438 **Threefold purpose of God, manifested in Adam and Eve, and every prophet, and down through the ages, and He that is to come; He that was, He which is, and He—He which is to come. THE WHOLE MANIFESTATION, THE REVELATION OF THE**

**WORD OF GOD, ADAM AND EVE GOING BACK HOME AGAIN, REDEEMED, GOD MAKING HISSELF KNOWN!** 439 There He'll sit upon the Throne of David (That right?) and shall own, rule all nations with a rod of iron. There will be a—a tree on each side, and each nation that comes in, this healing will be for...these leaves will be for the healing of the nations. The kings shall bring their honor into it. There will be nothing that can defile, or anything ever enter in. And **Mount Zion will have a Light on her, all day and night, and the redeemed shall walk in that Light.** Oh, hallelujah! 440 To think, it's not a mythical story, it's not some theological conception. **It's a revelation of Jesus Christ, by His Word, which is outshining, been true in all ages. And It's true in this age.** It's true here now. It's true with me, It's true with you, and **every man and woman that holds this revelation.** Amen.

Endnote:

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William Marrion Branham

**The blood is in the male.** A hen can lay an egg, but if she hasn't been with the—the rooster, it'll never hatch, it isn't fertile, **it hasn't got any blood in it.** And that's just like many times I've said, "A lot of these old churches around here, **you've got a bunch of eggs all right, but they'll lay right there and rot unless they got to be with the Mate, Christ Jesus, been born again and filled with the Holy Ghost. Then they've got Life, they believe.**" Oh, you say, "We got eggs." I know you have. But what good does it do them? 82 You can hover them with the Gospel, preach the Holy Ghost to them: they walk out and say, "Hmm, I don't believe in that stuff." And Indiana and Kentucky is jammed full of it. Look over here when we was having a healing service in Louisville, standing there preaching. **Oh, everybody would like to see the healing and the miracles and so forth. But I went to laying out the Gospel: walked out, "I don't believe no such stuff as that. My church don't believe that."** There you are, the mark of the beast. **You can't receive it, you're blind. They lay the Gospel out. Tell them what the rotten eggs are, laying there, CAN'T HAVE NO LIFE. How you going to put life in one of those eggs, when it ain't got no life in it? THE MALE, CHRIST JESUS, BROUGHT LIFE THROUGH THE BLOOD OF GOD.** Is that right? Brought the Life of God down into the male. That's right. Jesus Christ, the Son of God, come down to bring Life to the human race. Is that right? And in Him, after His Blood being shed, and **the Holy Spirit coming in the Blood of Jesus Christ, which was that Blood cell** when it was offered at Calvary, it takes away the very desire of sin. So, if you still have the desire of sin, better come back to the altar again. That's right. 83 **NOW, AND THAT SAME LIFE THAT WAS IN THAT BLOOD CELL RETURNS BACK INTO YOUR BLOOD CELL AND GIVES YOU THE SAME LIFE. JESUS SAID, "I GIVE TO THEM ETERNAL LIFE."** Now, if you all are interested in Greek words, go look up and see what the Greek word eternal means. **IT COME FROM THE WORD Zoe, Z-o-e.** Look what Zoe is: Zoe is "**the Life of God Himself.**" And if Jesus, **through His death, gave up His Own Life, which was Zoe, we have Eternal Life and can't perish.** Hallelujah. Then, when the old flesh begins to lust after things, the Spirit says, "No!" "There, now..." Here it is, get your Gospel coats on. Look. Romans 8:1. **There is therefore now no condemnation to them that are in Christ Jesus, that walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit. "Spirit giveth Life, letter killeth."** What a beautiful lesson, wish we had time to continue a while. We will after a bit. Look! **God required life** the very first time sin was committed. And if you notice, the pair in garden of Eden substituted animal life. Did you notice it? Put animal life, went out and got sheep and killed them and they

*made garments to cover their sin up with. Is that right? Sheepskin.*

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*54-0516 - Questions And Answers (Law Having A Shadow)  
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*78 Now this great cupola, went the smoke up, and all Israel and thousands of trumpets sound and every man dropped everything he had and went to prayer. All right. Three times a day that was made. The worshipper, then, went back out with the same desire in his heart. Maybe he come in for committing adultery, and he said, "Lord, I did wrong. I committed adultery. I've got to die 'cause You said, that, 'If you sin, you're going to die.' So this innocent lamb will die in my place, so I offer You my lamb, I paid my money for it. So, I come in and offer You my lamb and I confess my sins, and this lamb is taking my place, an innocent substitute. I ought to die, You was going to kill me, but You told me, 'If I'd give this lamb and let this lamb die in my place, then I could go free.'" Then, he cut its throat, got its blood, threwed it on the brazen, Divine altar of judgment. And the blood smoke went up to God, and God received it, said, "I'll receive it." The man walked right back out of there with the same lust in his heart; commit another adultery. That's right. 79 **BUT, IN THIS PLACE, WHERE JESUS IS, THE LAMB OF GOD... WHY? THE GERM OF LIFE IS IN THE BLOODSTREAM.** And that was an animal life, and an animal blood has no conscience of sin. Certainly not. So, it wasn't strong enough 'cause it knew not what sin was. But when God came down, into the blood cell that was in Mary's womb that created the Blood in Christ Jesus: that human Blood was powerful enough to take sin out of the human heart. And when the worshipper comes and puts his hands on Jesus' head and confesses his sin and THE LAMB WAS KILLED AND HIS NAME'S WRITTEN ON THE LAMB'S BOOK OF LIFE: THEN GOD GIVES HIM THE SAME HOLY SPIRIT WAS IN THAT BLOOD. And he confesses his sin's wrong; he has no more desire of sin. Amen. How? That's the Gospel. No more desire of sin. 80 Then the worshipper walked out with a clean heart. The worshipper.. the law being a shadow, BUT IN CHRIST IT—IT WAS TAKEN AWAY. He taken away the first, SO HE COULD ADD THE SECOND. He couldn't have two at the same time. You can't have the law that says, "It's a five dollar fine to run this streetlight out here," and the next one says that you can go free. You can't do it, you couldn't put judgment. **SO, JUDGMENT IS BASED UPON SOMETHING, NOT UPON A LAMB, UPON CHRIST: CHRIST, THE SON OF GOD, WHO WAS GOD MANIFESTED IN THE FLESH, AND THE GERM OF LIFE THAT COME INTO THE WOMB of Mary, that developed that cell. Cell after cell had brought forth this body that shed Blood yonder, in ORDER THAT GOD COULD BE MADE BLOOD.** And the Bible said we are saved through the Blood of God.*

Awe, you ain't getting it! Now look a there, see... You better pray children. If you can pick up on a simple thing like that, what you gonna do, see.

I said roses, roses and petunia's and all that, there's no life in that. The life is in the Blood. And the Blood is applied by a divine revelation in your heart, not in your head knowledge.

And when you go in among all these people that are claiming to be following the message and everything and just as dead as can be. See the service is just as dead, and their just as dead. Not

lookin...What is it? There is no life there. Now where life is, there's liberty, liberty Divine revelation. WHERE REVELATION IS, THERE IS COVERED BY THE BLOOD.

I hope that don't pass over you.

See, believing by knowledge, believing by knowledge see, ministering by knowledge.

Now I hope I can close right here.

Now you know the message and the Bible declares...Second Peter the first chapter. Add to your faith Virtue. Now, first before you can do anything to enter into this Bride material... to be Bride material, the first thing you gotta do is come out of the mix multitude, come out of the church and get a divine Revelation.

*2 Peter 1:5-Reference quote:*

*<sup>5</sup> And beside this, giving all diligence, add to your faith virtue; and to virtue knowledge;*

And then you add to your faith, revelation like Abel, see. You become righteous and in right standing with God because of Revelation. And God is sovereign, and he gives revelation to whom-so-ever he will. And then by sovereign grace you receive divine revelation upon the message. And then by divine revelation, faith you add virtue and to virtue knowledge. YOU ADD TO FAITH VIRTUE AND TO VIRTUE KNOWLEDGE.

BUT NOW HERE'S CAIN, HE HAD KNOWLEDGE WITHOUT FAITH. I hope you got that! Here is an intellectual believer following the message, he had knowledge without faith! And knowledge puffeth up and killeth! Come on!

But Revelation with virtue then add knowledge then you got something! Revelation will take the knowledge of God and put it in the right place. But if you try to get knowledge upon God's word you destroy yourself.

With the tree of knowledge... Now I'm a tree, I'm a Tree! I'm a tree you're eating off of me this morning. I'm laying that word out there. A woman is a tree, right. We're all trees. Now honey dear, you're eating something now. You better watch out what you're eating. You better watch out, that preacher is the one that's gonna get you! See, if you're not near a preacher, then course he'll raise up somebody else and use them the devil will. But watch out for them preachers.

*Endnote:*

*An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 9 - The Laodicean Church Age  
William Marrion Branham*

**But as of now before his revelation there are to appear many false prophets.** *Matthew 24:23-26, "Then if any man shall say unto you, Lo, here is Christ, or there; believe it not. For there shall arise false Christs, and false prophets, and shall shew great signs and wonders; insomuch that, if it were possible, they shall deceive the very elect. Behold, I have told you before. Wherefore if they shall say unto you, Behold, He is in the desert; go not forth: behold, He is in the secret chambers; believe it not." These false prophets are earmarked for us in various other Scriptures such as the following. II Peter 2:1-2, "But there were false prophets also among the people, even as there shall be false teachers among you, who privily shall bring in damnable heresies, even denying the Lord That bought them and bring upon themselves swift destruction. And many shall follow their pernicious ways; by reason of whom the way of truth shall be evil*

spoken of.” II Timothy 4:3-4, “For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; and they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables.” I Timothy 4:1, “Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils.” Now in every case you will notice that a false prophet is one who is outside the Word. JUST AS WE SHOWED YOU THAT “ANTICHRIST” MEANS “ANTIWORD” SO THESE FALSE PROPHETS COME PERVERTING THE WORD, GIVING IT A MEANING THAT FITS THEIR OWN DEVILISH ENDS. Have you ever noticed how the people who lead others astray bind them closely to themselves by fear? They say that if the people don’t do what they say, or if they leave, then destruction will follow. They are false prophets, **FOR A TRUE PROPHET WILL ALWAYS LEAD ONE TO THE WORD AND BIND THE PEOPLE TO JESUS CHRIST AND HE WON’T TELL THE PEOPLE TO FEAR HIM OR WHAT HE SAYS, BUT TO FEAR WHAT THE WORD SAYS.** Notice how these people, like Judas, are out for money. They get you to sell all you have and give it to them and their schemes. They spend more time on offerings than the Word. Those who attempt to operate gifts will make use of a gift which has a margin of error in it and then ask for money, and neglect the Word and call it of God. And people will go to them, and bear with them, and support them, and believe them, not knowing it is the way of death. Yes, the land is full of carnal impersonators. In that last day they will try to imitate that prophet-messenger. The seven sons of Sceva tried to imitate Paul. Simon the sorcerer tried to imitate Peter. Their impersonations will be carnal. They won’t be able to produce what the true prophet produces. When he says the revival is over they will go around claiming a great revelation that what the people have is exactly right and God is going to do bigger and more wonderful things amongst the people. And the people will fall for it. These same false prophets will claim that the messenger of the last-day is not a theologian, so he ought not to be heard. They won’t be able to produce what the messenger can; they won’t be vindicated by God as that last-day prophet is, BUT WITH THEIR GREAT SWELLING WORDS AND WITH THE WEIGHT OF THEIR WORLD-WIDE NOTORIETY THEY WILL WARN THE PEOPLE NOT TO HEAR THAT MAN (MESSENGER) AND THEY WILL SAY HE TEACHES WRONG. THEY ARE RUNNING EXACTLY TRUE TO THEIR FATHERS, THE PHARISEES, WHO WERE OF THE DEVIL, FOR THEY CLAIMED THAT BOTH JOHN AND JESUS TAUGHT ERROR. NOW WHY DO THESE FALSE PROPHETS COME AGAINST THE TRUE PROPHET AND DISCREDIT HIS TEACHING? Because they are running true to form as did their forefathers when in the days of Ahab they withstood Micaiah. There were four hundred of them and all of them were in agreement; and by them all saying the same thing, they fooled the people. But one prophet — just one — was right and all the rest wrong because God had committed the revelation to only one. BEWARE OF FALSE PROPHETS, FOR THEY ARE RAVENING WOLVES.

Endnote:

53-0614A - Earnestly Contending For The Faith That Was Once Delivered To The Saints  
William Marrion Branham

Now, look. Then he said, “Let me die the death of the righteous...” [Brother Branham stops as a model airplane noise interferes—Ed.] Hey. See how the devil will do? Now, if you want to see the devil, look out there; he got in them men out there, and see them do such things as that.

**Now, if someone said, “Do you mean that was the devil?” What other thing would interfere God’s Spirit but the devil? CERTAINLY, A BUNCH OF PREACHERS TURNED THEM OUT THERE TO DO THAT (EXACTLY), TRY TO STOP THE MEETING, BUT YOU CAN’T STOP GOD. GOD WILL MOVE RIGHT ON JUST THE SAME.** *There’s no more nothing, simply nothing can stop God, the power of God. Certainly. Certainly. Them same people, if they don’t repent, they’ll lay in hell forever. In fact... You say, “You’re judging.” No, I’m not. “**By their fruits you shall know them.** That’s right. That’s exactly right. So, for... Watch today. We’re contending for the faith that was once delivered to the saints. See? Now, have you got the message? Do you understand what I mean? That we believe. That’s why. 75 And listen. **Some of you fundamentalists here that don’t know nothing about God, no more than what you know of the Scripture. If that’s all the experience you got, I hope that you come to Jesus Christ and receive the baptism of the Holy Ghost before it’s too late. Someday over yonder in another land, you’ll watch for this little old holy-roller preacher and you’ll find out that I’m right.** You’ll find out that we’re earnestly contending for the faith that was once delivered to the saints. Do you believe it? Let’s bow our heads then as we talk to Him.*

The devil is laying right up next to that message. He ain’t out there in A.A. or B.B. or T.L. or T.T. or whoever it is, you know I don’t like to call their names, but you know what I’m talking about. He’s laying up near that message.

Cain and Abel, WE’RE SIDE BY SIDE! And Cain worshipped God by a lip service by knowledge and without Faith. But the Bride of Christ Has Faith, virtue and then Knowledge! Did you get that? (Amen) Revelation with knowledge is humble. Their humble people, see.

God’s word is to be received by a divine revelation. And many are called... many are called but only a few are chosen to receive that divine revelation and worship God by Faith!

How did the Bible say, And the just shall live by knowledge? (No)

*Hebrews 10:38-Reference quote:*

***<sup>38</sup> Now the just shall live by faith: but if any man draw back, my soul shall have no pleasure in him.***

And the just shall live by revelation, the just shall worship by revelation and live by revelation and they are kept by a revelation.

Satan is worshipped by knowledge, intellectual knowledge upon the message. In the head see! God is worshipped by a divine revelation.

Now you know something? This morning... the Bride of Jesus Christ... As I said the other night, that there ought to be ambulances sitting out here this morning. There ought to be wheel chair patients sitting here. The word of the Lord ought to be going forth discerning the secrets of the heart. The blind ought to see and the lame ought to be walking and the dead ought to be raised. That’s right!

And we’ll either produce it or we’re tribulation bound and we are a dead seed. And we are to be found as liars. Did you hear what I said? No liars will enter into heaven in this hour.

And we said we’re Christians, and the bible said, “These signs shall follow them that believe!” Not maybe they’ll follow, they shall follow!

*Mark 16:17*

***17 And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues;***

And the Bride of Christ is duty bound to produce the resurrection life of Jesus Christ or she is not the Bride.

Now notice, the Bride ought to be having the great powers of Christ in the church. Prophecy, discerning the spirits, all these great things ought to be in the church. Proving that Jesus Christ is the Same Yesterday and Forever! WE OUGHT TO HAVE THAT NOW!

*Endnote:*

*62-0121M - And Thy Seed Shall Possess The Gate Of His Enemy  
William Marrion Branham*

*238 He ascended on High. What did He do? He cut a hole, a gate, that, the prayer of this Seed of Abraham. Why? Why? If we be the Body of Christ, if we are dead, we reckon ourself dead and buried in Christ, and raised with Him in resurrection. He is the Head of the Body. Where the Head is, the Body is with It. And then, this morning, where every one that's did that, "is seated with Him in heavenly places," with the Royal Seed. Praise God. 239 No gates. You can't pray this far, and say, "Oh, oh, there's a word." Huh-uh. They close you off, right there. 240 **But if our heart condemn us not; if we know that we're walking in the commandments of God; we see our lives cleaned up; we see it; every Word that God commanded, we keep It; then the gates of every enemy is possessed. "Then ask what you will, it'll be done for you." "He shall possess the gate of his enemy." Oh, brother, what a church that would be!** 241 When I come back again to Phoenix, if the Lord permits me, I hope, when I walk into this tabernacle, that these pews will be lined, and every pew in the full Gospel movement in this city will be lined with saints of the living God: look like Christian; talk like Christian; act like Christians; with the Spirit of God moving among them, where, if one would sin, the Holy Spirit call it out right then. 242 It'll do it. You seen it in the prayer line, as up here on the altar. Where, say, "You go back there and make that right with your husband. Go, tell your wife that you was out, night before last, with that woman, setting on a certain-certain place." If It'll do it here, by walking in the Word, listening to that still small Voice, It'll do it in you. You're Abraham's Seed. Then, no sin. 243 Preacher, wouldn't you like to see that in your church? Walk in this church, and look down along through here, see both men and women, godly, saintly, setting there just charged with the power of God. Sin could not walk in. A man walk in and set down, the Spirit raise up and say, "John Jones, you come from so-and-so, a city, a certain-certain place. He's here to find healing for his body. See? He did a certain thing at a certain place. He did this, and he take...has, take this back, make this right, then God will heal him of that cancer. **THUS SAITH THE LORD.**" My, my! 244 **GIVE ME A CHURCH, GIVE ME TEN MEN, WHO, REALLY JEWELS OF GOD, THE ROYAL SEED, PUT THEM MEN TOGETHER, AND WATCH WHAT'LL TAKE PLACE. GIVE ME THIS LITTLE HOUSEFUL OF PEOPLE LIKE THAT, AND I'LL SHOW YOU A LIGHT THAT THE WORLD WILL RUN TO IT.** That's right. That's what God wants us to be. "You're a city setting on a hill." You're Royal Seed of Abraham. **It shall possess the gate of its enemy.**" 245 Sickness, there's a cause for sickness. **There's a cause for these things. And God, the Holy Spirit, is here to reveal that***



**thing and tell you why you don't get it. WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH US? We don't have to wonder, "Will It do it." It's already doing it. What do you do?**

But what is it? But there's too much of knowledge of Satan, see. When you get to thinking your believing and about to get a revelation of it, see, why then you go and hear what so and so said about it see. Well, this brother said... Well I know sure, but I can't help that see. It's me, I believe it with all my heart! And if God don't come and produce it somehow, then I don't believe it. Do you see where we are putting ourselves children? WELL, THIS SEED HAS GOT TO PRODUCE AFTER ITS KIND. EVERY SEED AFTER ITS KIND! It's got to produce another supernatural bride!

*Endnote:*

*An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 5 - The Pergamean Church Age  
William Marrion Branham*

*Here is what I am trying to say to you. The law of reproduction is that each specie brings forth after its own kind, even according to Genesis 1:11, "And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, and the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so." Whatever life was in the seed came forth into a plant and thence into fruit. The very same law applies to the church today. Whatever seed started the church will come forth and be like the original seed because it is the same seed. **In these last days the true Bride Church (Christ's seed) will come to the Headstone, and she will be the super church, a super race, as she nears Him. They in the bride will be so much like Him that they will even be in His very image. This is in order to be united with Him. They will be one. They will be the very manifestation of the Word of the living God. Denominations cannot produce this (wrong seed). They will produce their creeds and their dogmas, mixed with the Word. This mongrelizing brings forth a hybrid product.***

*Endnote:*

*61-0210 - Abraham's Covenant Confirmed  
William Marrion Branham*

*176 He said, "By this you'll know what My covenant is, Abraham." Abraham being spiritual knowed it. Why? **That's exactly what God did. He took His covenant Seed, which the real Seed was the promised One through faith, come forth out of Isaac, come forth Christ. Christ was God's Covenant. And what He did, He took Him up to Calvary, just like Abraham did his own son a few days afterwards, or a few years afterwards, after he was born. What did He do? He took Him on Calvary and He tore Him apart (Amen.), tore Him apart. He raised His body up on Easter morning and set Him on the right hand of His throne. But the Spirit that was in Him, He sent back down to the church. So, the church, when this Covenant is brought into its full strength, when the Covenant is confirmed with God, the church, the people that goes into this body here to be His Bride, will be exactly the same Spirit that was upon Christ, doing the same things, the same ministry, the same power, and it'll come together and be Word by Word the***

***same: confirming the Covenant.***

Now, what does the devil do... The bride by a revelation knows this ought to be, see. She knows this ought to be and she see's trying to be obedient to that word of God. These signs shall follow them that believe, Mark 16:15, John 4:12, Hebrews 13:8, Hebrews 4:12, you know all these scriptures. They everyone got to be in the Bride of Christ, she knows that!

*Mark 16:17-Reference quote:*

*17 And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues;*

*Mark 16:15-Reference quote*

*15 And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.*

*Hebrews 13:8-Reference quote:*

*8 Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and to day, and for ever.*

*Hebrews 4:12-Reference quote:*

*12 For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.*

But know what happens? But there's too much of knowledge upon the message. There's to many people that have so much knowledge, upon the Restoration message of Malachi 4:5. And explaining away, "How this is for another day." "Well, this was all in Brother Branham" "We're out of the church ages, their over and now your sealed now and waiting see." See! "And 1963 the seals we're opened and the Bride was sealed in" See they can explain it all away by knowledge!

And what's that do? Them poor little preachers like me, they're just pounding that thing just night and day. Then people hear them ministers preach and then go off and say, "What do you think about that Token? What do you think about Brother Lambert, do you think he's right?" Wishy-Washy! Wishy-Washy, no revelation! See, no revelation! If you had revelation you wouldn't have to ask nobody! The Revelation don't say, "What do you think about it?" It tells you what to think about it.

Now can you imagine what would happen to somebody if you lived in that day and come to Cain and said, "Cain what do you think about Abel?" "What do you think about Abel Cain?" Let's see if you were back in Jesus's day and you walked up to the Pharisees the Devil and said, "What do you think about Jesus?" I'll tell you what I think about him, "He tore my church up, he's a scoundrel and I believe he's a false prophet and a devil!" What do you think Cain would of told you about Abel?

Now, how we gonna go on like that see! This ones tore up, you go over and hear this voice, then you go over here and hear that voice. Well, what do you think about it? Well, let's go down and see brother so and so and see what he thinks about it, see.

That's just exactly what Eve done! Just keep going on, you'll leave that womb open and then when Gods had enough of you, he'll close that womb up. THEN YOU'LL BELIEVE A LIE! YOU'LL BELIEVE SOME HEAD KNOWLEDGE; YOU'LL NEVER GET IT AND YOU'LL SEAL YOUR DOOM AND go right through the tribulation! See sure! Knowledge up in the head, see. No revelation.

But know what? Brother Listen, let me tell you the best thing...I'd give you the best advice that you ever had children here this morning, if you don't believe what I'm talking about and to be the truth, I wouldn't come here and hear me preach again for nothing in this world. Because it's not worth taking a chance on it. I'd get down on my knees and I'd cry to God and I'd listen to them prophet's tapes till, I GOT A REVELATION of what he's talking about, see.

See, what you're doing is just asking for the devil to lay it to you, just like he laid it to Eve! How many say I'm telling the truth? (Amen) Yes, sir!

No sir.... But the bride ought to be doing these great things, but we got so much knowledge going forth. Knowledge of the message going forth and filling the people's heads up with... When Brother Branham said men and women would know everything on tape and miss the rapture.

Goes to show you the Bride of Christ... You don't have to know everything on tape, you just got to have a revelation OF THE PROMISE WORD FOR THE HOUR! AND WHAT IS THE REVELATION PROMISE FOR THE HOUR? YE SHALL RECEIVE THE TOKEN IF YOU BELIEVE! Say, "God I can't understand it all, but I believe it" Then it'll come down in your heart. You don't have to call up brother so and so.

What if I had to call up Brother Ruddell this Sunday and say, "Brother Ruddell you sure I'm right, you recon I ought to go ahead and preach this Token?" No! Brother, I preach it in such a forceful manner until Brother Ruddell catches a hold of it, till the other brothers catch a hold of it. I Don't care if I there ain't five believes it. IT'S THE TRUTH! IT'S THE TOKEN AGE, IT'S A REVIVAL AGE, IT'S AN OUTPOURING OF THE HOLY GHOST AGE! It's the promise word for the hour children.

Oh, I'm gonna shut up, I talk too much. I tell you I want the Lord to come, I want revival with all my heart it's all in my soul.

But see, it's too much knowledge, Satan in the minds of the people. But the Bible said, "For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but they are mighty THROUGH GOD TO THE PULLING DOWN OF THE STRONG Holds of the devil. Where is the strong hold of the devil? IN YOUR MIND!

*2 Corinthians 10:4-Reference quote:*

*<sup>3</sup> For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war after the flesh:*

*<sup>4</sup> (For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;)*

*<sup>5</sup> Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;*

The devil takes the head the mind, but God takes the heart! And from the heart we cast down imaginations, cast down reasoning's and everything, that exalteth itself above the revealed word of promise for the hour.

*2 Corinthians 10:5-6-Reference quote:*

*<sup>5</sup> Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;*

*<sup>6</sup> And having in a readiness to revenge all disobedience, when your obedience is fulfilled.*

Somebody tells you says, “Well, I believe you already got the Token, see your just apply it by faith” No, that’s wrong!

Another brother said I read his magazine he said, “Now the wedding garment is the revelation” That’s a lie of the devil! I don’t care who told you! The wedding garment is the spirit the Token the power to make the word of God live! “And if an angel come from heaven and preach any other gospel let him be ACCURSED!”

*Galatians 1:8-Reference quote:*

*8 But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed.*

LITTLE CHILDREN, YOU BETTER RUN FROM THAT KNOWLEDGE! AND GET ON YOUR KNEES AND GET A REVELATION or your tribulation bound. Yes sir!

That’s just what Satan wants, see. But the Weapons of the Brides warfare are not carnal. But a revelation from the heart will reach up there in people’s minds and pull that thing out of there. PULL THAT INTERPRETAION OUT OF there.

Preach the word of God and drive the unbelief off of you! We want to believe like Joshua and Caleb saying, “We’re more than able to take the promise land. We’re more than able to have an outpouring of the Holy Ghost! We’re more than able to do these things.”

Let’s bow our heads. Oh, my! It seems like I can hear Jesus say, “Oh, ye of little faith! Wherefore didst thou doubt?”

I think as the sisters come to the organ and the piano. I was just thinking right now, that the boat is water logged and ready to sink. Jesus is asleep on the hinder part of the boat on a pillow. You know what I think my pillow is? A revelation! I don’t care if the devil says. “The boats gonna sink!” Says, “Ain’t nobody gonna believe you, there ain’t nobody gonna believe you what your sayin.” There’s somebody that’s got to believe it!

The devils trying to sink the boat and all the preachers shaking and weary, trembling and everything. Trying to get unity. You can’t get the unity of the Bride together without a revelation. It’ll take God almighty to bring the Bride together. And he’ll cause a revival to break out to do it!

*Endnote:*

*63-0320 - The Third Seal*

*William Marrion Branham*

***183 The—the Bride hasn’t had a revival yet. See? There’s been no revival there, no manifestation of God to stir the Bride yet. See? We’re looking for it now. It’ll take those seven unknown Thunders back there, to wake Her up again, see. Yeah. He’ll send it. He promised it. Now watch.***

*Endnote:*

56-0108 - *God Hath A Provided Way*  
William Marrion Branham

**331 You just watch now what the Lord is going to do in these revivals that's coming. It's going to be exceedingly, abundantly above anything that's ever been done yet. You just see now. Remember, I'm not a false prophet. I tell the truth. God wouldn't lie. And see if it isn't going to be greater than it's ever has been at any time.**

*Endnote:*

54-1024 - *The Unpardonable Sin*  
William Marrion Branham

**190 I'm laying this as a basic foundation for the coming revival. You bring your Bible every night. You bring your pencil, bring your book, to check off. And any time that you see anything you don't understand, "come, let us reason it together."**

*Endnote:*

61-0207 - *Expectation*  
William Marrion Branham

**68 Our Heavenly Father, we're happy tonight for the privilege of standing in this church and praying for the people. We're thankful for Your Word: Thy Word is Life, Lord. And I pray that You'll send the revival that we're asking for. And now, Lord, I'm ask You something personally myself. Please, dear Heavenly Father, put in the people's heart an expectation. Let them never forget that. All down along the nights, if we shall continue in the meeting, may they remember tonight, they're expecting it. We come every night, say, "Well, it never happened last night, but it... I'll be expecting it tomorrow night. It'll—it'll be tomorrow night. I'll be the one. I'll be the one that receives the Holy Ghost. I'll be the one, the first one at the altar to repent of my sins. I'll be the first one that God sanctifies and takes all the world out of me. Lord, I'm ashamed of my life. I'm ashamed the way I've been doing. I—I want You to take it away from me, give me something so great Lord, that I won't want to go back in that hog wallow again." As the Bible plainly says, "As the sow returns to her wallow, a dog to its vomit..." And we can see Lord, that many of our Pentecostal people are acting the same way: come up out of the world and going right back in it again.**

*Endnote:*

59-1123 - *Speak To This Mountain*  
William Marrion Branham

**62 I believe that the church of the living God is moving into a sphere now that's going to shake the whole world. That's the first time it's been since the days of Jesus of Nazareth to a human being. "Ask anything that you will, and it shall be given unto you, anything you desire." Don't you see the words of Jesus Christ being fulfilled? Oh, it's going to come to pass pretty soon. I'm looking for it to happen in this meeting. I'm wanting it to happen now, that that anointing will strike the whole church of the living God, and she'll rise to her feet like a mighty marching**

*army. The sick will be healed by a word; the blind will see; the deaf will hear; the dead will be raised up; and the power of God will shake the world with the church of the living God. We're in the process of it now. I believe it's soon coming to pass. I believe it will be just exactly that way. I believe it's going to strike the church of God soon, and it's going to start a revival that'll shake the world. I believe it.* 63 *The Lord God of heaven Who made heavens and earth, whose servant I am, and stand here now before you, and in the Name of Jesus Christ, those words are true. Oh, we're near something. My heart's waiting with anticipations. I can't even rest in my hotel room. Last night I couldn't sleep at all. It's never left me; it... I couldn't sleep on the road out here; I didn't sleep for about two or three hours a night. I just can't rest because I know that something's fixing to happen. Our God's going to move on the scene just as sure as we're standing here. Just as sure as He said back yonder about the discernment in the hand and the secrets of the heart, He's promised something else, and here it is already confirmed among the people. People standing there... And last Sunday morning in our church there at Jeffersonville, or Sunday a week it is now, when I told that, there stood the whole Wright family giving testimony. The blessings has never left that house. They said they just—it don't seem like the same place. That little woman that never screamed in her life, I guess, till she—since she was a baby, you could've heard her for three city blocks screaming the praises of God. And the power of God had—we was so numb till I couldn't say nothing; I had to walk out of the building. I was anointed by the power of God. He's God. He lives.* 64 *I feel that one great thing is necessary. The Holy Spirit's speaking to me now about, I believe we ought to have a night, this night that we should consecrate ourselves. Don't you think so? Are you ready, church of God? Are you ready for such a move? Have you buried every sin in the Blood of Jesus Christ? Have you confessed all your wrongs? Oh, ministers of the Gospel, my precious brothers, I tell you the truth, so help me, God knows that's true. And we're just shadowing something near at hand now. I don't know just where, when, or how, but I'm told you exactly the God's truth, and God knows that's true. The Holy Spirit's here now, healing, healing. Let's get our souls healed tonight; let's get ourself fixed in condition.* 65 *I told Billy not to give out any prayer cards tonight. I didn't want a prayer line. I want a consecration. I want this church to draw so close to God. I want it to get so close to God until when the—we might be in this meeting here, that that'll break forth through this church here. I'm telling you: when that takes place, **the coming of the Lord is at hand.** The enemy with their atomic bombs is coming in like a flood. The Spirit of God's rising a standard against it constantly. And just remember, just as I told you about—from the discernment, taking the hand, to the secrets of the heart, how them things is fulfilled every time, so has this happened just exactly the way it said it would be. And it's just exactly with the Scriptures. As it was proved to you about knowing the secret of the heart, how that Jesus looked upon the multitudes, and discerned, and could tell the people that touched His garment, and so forth, how that that rain, latter rain, former rain and latter would be together, as we had yesterday. That's exactly. **66 Don't you fear, church of God. I know you got a lot of scruples among you. You've got a lot of up-sets, and down-sets, and everything else, but still you are the church of the living God; by the grace of God you are. No matter what you've done, or how you done, God forgive you of your sins;** He wants a consecration. How did Balaam look down upon Israel and said, "**They done every dirty thing that could be done.**" **But he failed to see that they was the church of the living God. There was that smitten rock and that brass serpent before them, an atonement laying there for them.** And every one of you that's been baptized with the Holy Ghost, the Blood of Jesus Christ cleanses you from all sin. Hallelujah. The Spirit of the Lord is here now. **That's in the Name of the Lord I speak.** If anybody don't*

*believe it, speak to God about your sickness and find out. Just see if it isn't the truth.*

Not by might, not by knowledge, not by power but by my spirit saith the Lord. God is gonna hover over his little sacrifice today. He's gonna pour out his spirit upon her. That little Bride, what's she doing? Listen closely children. What is the little Bride doing? She's waiting in obedience, obedience to the promise word of Token for the hour. She's waiting for the life of the Token Jesus Christ to come upon her, the body and make the body live. And the Devil is trying to keep her away from it. She's waiting in obedience!

Think what would happen this morning, if every one of you believed it by a revelation? See! The very proof that God didn't pour out his spirit this morning, is proof that there are people sitting here right in this room this morning, as lovely as you are, is Faith and Doubt, Faith and Doubt! You want to believe what I'm saying, but you doubt it, see. Why? Because you don't have revelation. Children you can't do it and go that way.

But in the upper room, when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all in one mind. What was they in one mind about children? That Joel... the prophesy of Joel, that God was gonna pour out his spirit. Why, can't we do that this morning? Why can't we? We're in the eighth day, we're over in the bride age.

*Endnote:*

*An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 3 - The Ephesian Church Age  
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*"He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches." How tragic it is that this first age did not listen to the Spirit. Instead it listened to man. **But thank God, in the last age there will be a group rise up, the True Bride of the last day, and she will listen to the Spirit. In that day of gross darkness the light will return by the pure Word and we will return to the power of Pentecost to welcome back the Lord Jesus Christ.***

Brother Branham said, "Its fire falling time and the moves on for the Bride." See! I would to God, wish there was some way I could cut your heart open and place a little revelation in there. Even if you could memorize what I said, that wouldn't do no good. Memorize what Brother Branham said, that wouldn't do no good. But if you could get it down in your heart.

*Endnote:*

*65-1125 - The Invisible Union Of The Bride Of Christ  
William Marrion Branham*

**322 Brother, let's get all things ready, for one of these days the Fire is going to fall. We're going up. Now let's get ready for the Fire-falling time. We're in the last days, we all know that, and we're ready for the Coming of the Lord. The thing to do is separate yourself from all sin. Separate yourself from anything that pertains to the world. "Don't love the world or the things of the world." 323 "Let no man, by his creed, deceive you." **You stay right straight in the****

**promise of God, the Word of God. And that Word, if It's a Word for this day, God vindicates It so. If He doesn't, it's not the Word for this day. 324 The Word that fell on the Day of Pentecost will not work this day. No, sir. That was for Pentecost. This is for the Bride, going Home of the Bride. We got something different. The Pentecostals represented that, again. We're in the Bride age. No more than the—the Word of Noah would work in the days of Moses; no more than Moses' law would have worked in the time of Paul here. He tried to tell them, "You are dead to that, and you cannot have that." 325 Church, you who I'm speaking to, tonight, across the nation, if—if you've separated yourself from denomination and all the filth and things of this world, and all those things that keeps you in man-made creeds and orders and things like that, you separated yourself: **Look up. Get ready. The Fire is going to fall, one of these days. God is going to let Him come, and a sight to behold. Would you be ready when He comes? Would you be ready to go up with Him when He comes? The secret Rapture of the supernatural Bride, "She'll be made mor-...from mortal to immortality; be changed, in a moment, in a twinkling of eye. We which are alive and remain shall not prevent them which are asleep."****

Endnote:

*An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 1 - The Revelation Of Jesus Christ*  
William Marrion Branham

*John had the revelation, and JESUS was the Revelation, and He produced Himself right here in the Scripture — "I AM He That Was, Which Is, and Shall Come, the Almighty. Amen." If revelation is beyond you, look up and seek God for it. That is the only way you are ever going to get it. A revelation has to come from God. It never comes by human, natural endowments, but by Spiritual enduement. **You can even memorize the Scripture, and though that is wonderful, that won't do it. It has to be a revelation from God.** It says in the Word that no man can say that Jesus is the Christ except by the Holy Ghost. You have to receive the Holy Ghost and then, and only then, can the Spirit give you the revelation that Jesus is the Christ: God, the Anointed One. No man knows the things of God save the Spirit of God and he to whom the Spirit of God reveals them. We need to call on God for revelation more than anything else in the world. We have accepted the Bible, we have accepted the great truths of it, but it still is not real to most people because the revelation by the Spirit is not there. The Word has not been quickened. The Bible says in II Corinthians 5:21 that we have become the righteousness of God by our union with Jesus Christ. Did you get it? It says that **WE ARE THE VERY RIGHTEOUSNESS OF GOD HIMSELF** by being **IN CHRIST**. It says that He (Jesus) became **SIN** for us. It does not say He became sinful, but became **SIN** for us that by our union with Him we might become the **RIGHTEOUSNESS** of God. If we accept the fact (and we must) that He literally became **SIN** for us by His substitution for us, then we must also accept the fact that we by our union with Him have become the **VERY RIGHTEOUSNESS** of God. To reject one is to reject the other. To accept the one is to accept the other. Now we know the Bible says that. It can't be denied. But the revelation of it is missing. It is not real to the majority of God's children. It is just a good verse in the Bible. But we need to have it made **ALIVE** to us. That will take revelation.*

God seeketh such to worship him in the spirit and in the truth. Not by head knowledge. Now you know Brother Branham said, God gives...Now I quote Brother Branham, "God gives



Revelation to them that are Obedient.” Obedient to the word. Letter of the word, see. God gives Revelation to those that are obedient.

*Endnote:*

64-0208 - *The Token*

*William Marrion Branham*

*117 The Blood, Covenant Blood, is not recognized without the Token. **The Word assures us of the promise. The Token is the sign the purchase has been made for us.** 118 FULL OBEDIENCE TO THE FULL WORD OF GOD ENTITLES US TO THE TOKEN. NO OTHER WAY IS THERE, THAT YOU COULD EVER BE ENTITLED TO THE TOKEN, UNTIL YOU FULLY OBEY THE WORD.*

*Endnote:*

63-0728 - *Christ Is The Mystery Of God Revealed*

*William Marrion Branham*

*232 Now watch. “Blessed art thou, Simon Bar-jona,” says, which means, “son of Jona.” See? “Blessed art thou, for flesh and blood never revealed This to you. You never learned It from some school. But My Father which is in Heaven has revealed It to you.” Notice what He said to him, “Upon this rock...” That’s Peter, the predestinated Seed of God that had received this Light, and given the keys to the Kingdom. “Upon this rock of revelation of Who Jesus Christ is,” He is the full, manifested God. “Upon this rock...” Not a Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; and Him being the second Person. “Upon this rock I’ll build My Church, and the gates of hell will never shake It down, never prevail against It.” See? “I’ll build My Church upon this rock,” a revelation of Jesus Christ. 233 Look, Christ in you makes Him the center of Life of the revelation. See? Christ’s Life in you makes Him the center of the revelation. Christ, in the Bible, makes the Bible the complete revelation of Christ. Christ in you makes you the complete revelation of the whole thing, see, what God is trying to do. 234 What is the new Birth then? You’d say, “Well, Brother Branham, what is the new Birth?” It is the revelation of Jesus Christ personally to you. Amen! See? Not you joined a church, you shook a hand, you done something different, you said a creed, you promised to live by a—a code of rules. But Christ, the Bible, He is the Word that was revealed to you. And no matter what anybody says, what takes place, it’s Christ; pastor, priest, whatever it might be. It’s Christ in you, that is the revelation that the Church was built upon.*

Now he that is of the truth, that’s doin right, reading their Bible, praying really doing everything they can in the natural that they can do right, they love the revelation. They cometh to the truth see, the Bible said. But those that like and go on watching television and kinda playing church you know and all these other little ole things...It’s the little foxes that eat up the vine. They won’t come to the truth. Because the revelation will expose their deeds so they won’t come.

But the little Bride she’s hungering and thirsting for it. She’s got to get a revelation.

Now with our heads bowed. Now I don't know what all I said, it comes to me and I just give it out. If it offended you, I didn't mean to, it wasn't me I didn't mean to do it. Maybe I said something maybe you thought was hard. Well, you forgive me, I don't mean to offend nobody. But I want to help you.

We can't go on...we can't go on just wishy-washy it's got to happen Children. It's the promise word revealed for the hour. And anything that'll deny that Token...One day you'll see. Don't believe it children what...Stay with that promise Token.

And the little Bride is waiting in obedience and love, in love and obedience waiting for the life to come upon her to make that word live. "The works that I did ye shall do also!"

Is there one here that would say, "Brother Bob the devil just been pounding me around, I've been tossed to and fro, would you pray that God would give me a divine revelation in my heart?" Now that's honest! Look a there, at the hands. God, bless you! God, bless you sister, bless you brother. Brother in the back, brother up here God, bless you brother. God bless all those many hands up. God bless you! Oh, I love you! I wish I could do more for you. I'm ashamed that I can't.

What is this hour now? It's a great test, this is investigating judgement time. It's a type of Joshua and Caleb, all the unbelief of the devil is gathered up at the river. Trying to keep you from crossing into your promise land. Can't you see that he's trying to keep the power of God away from you? Can't you see that he's trying to keep you away from that Token?

You know, I know how you go along and the devil speaks evil about me to you. Tries to get you to turn against me, I know he does. See, that's the work of the devil.

See I'll say like Jesus said, "I told you the truth" And as sure as I stand here... I don't know when, I maybe have to wait another year, another six months, another two weeks. But I'm trying to tell you a great mighty thing is ready to take place. And you people that's heard me tell you these things, are gonna look back on these tapes and try to find out what I said. And you're going to jump over cars, you'll jump flat footed. You'll remember the things that I told you was the Truth, see! Now you just wait and see! A lot of things I could tell you, but ain't able to bare it. Because if I tell you, all it would do is give you trials to believe it. See, I believe!

You told that little fella up in Maine? Some secrets, there he told me on the phone, that God told him God almost slayed him right over there, for thinking something. Who is it that tells them?

You'll see, God will pour out a revival as sure as the world. There's some great thing coming forth from the Lord, he'll speak from heaven soon. Then it'll be to late! God, I pray that you'll get a revelation now. Don't...See if you don't have a revelation...Now, listen to me close! If you don't have a revelation and your tossed to and fro by this preacher by that preacher...Listen real Close! If you don't have it, then your disobedient somewhere. Somewhere, if you'll search your life and pray...Listen close to my words! Somewhere in your walk with Christ your doin evil, your doin wrong. I don't mean some real bad wicked sex sin, or something, I'm not talking about that. But little things...Little foxes eat up the vine, see. Listen! If you don't have...you that raised your hands, you're not obedient somewhere. There's something there that you haven't really give up to the Lord, something... something in your life. Now you go and pray, sincerely before the Lord and say, "I raise my hands Lord when Brother Lambert said that, I just don't have revelation. And I pray that you'll reveal to me what I'm doin wrong Lord." And I assure you that if your sincere, he will tell you what's wrong. I never prayed that to the Lord Yet, that he didn't...

One time, I prayed that. I said, "God I feel something wrong, somethings wrong Lord, somethings wrong." And I prayed for hours and hours and hours, crying and weeping till my eyes closed, swollen together. And then the next day in the afternoon, I was sitting and the Voice of God spoke to me and told me what that was, that I was doin wrong. And then I said, "Lord I can't make that right!" He said, "You will make it right or you won't go on with me." And I tell yeah, I like to died, but I went and made that right.

Friend if you don't have revelation... Maybe while I'm preaching you get to believing it and then you go away. You hear this tape and it confuses you, this brother says this and that confuses you. That's terrible tossed to and fro. And here we are right up to the time of the rapture.

Now look! You can't even grow up into the image of Christ until first you get revelation. All you are is just in the church, see. You're in a mix multitude wondering around. You're a Christian sure! But you don't have what it takes to go in that first resurrection, the rapture. That's where you want to be, isn't it?

Now let's pray, those that raised their hands, let's bow our heads and pray together. God, I love you! I don't preach for a living, pharaoh feeds me mostly, but I love you. See, why am I staying here on the east coast? God put me here! Why do I preach to you with all my heart? Just because I love you. I'm trying to tell you that God wants to give you a revival.

Now father, you've seen all the hands that was raised Lord. God, I waited upon you all day yesterday and last night, and Lord I promised you I would lay that out there as hard as I could put it out. And I felt like Lord, if I never preached again, I've done everything I could with all my heart. Now Lord, I pray, those that raised their hands, father I pray that you'd reveal to them Lord what little things that are wrong in their life. That they may quickly make it right and put it under the Blood. And Lord I just pray, that they'll just lay into them tapes and books. And just let that word keep coming into their intellectual mind, their intellectual faith Lord. Let them say, "I believe, I believe it even if I don't understand it" Then Lord let the Holy Ghost come down upon it, quicken it and turn it into revelation down in the heart. Then Lord your duty bound to give them the Token. Once we get a revelation and the blood is applied in the revelation Lord, the Token is on its way to the blood. It's got to come to the Blood. Now, father I pray for them each one, God bless them Lord. Strengthen them and encourage them Lord. I love them Lord, I'd do anything I could do to help them. And I pray Lord, no matter what the devil tells them, you let them know that I love them with all my heart. And Lord I'm doing just everything I can do, night and day to staying in my room studying and studying and walking the floor. God, now I'm out here on a limb, I said that you revealed these things to me and I've proved it by the word of God. They ought to believe it by the word! But now Lord I pray that you'll not tarry but soon... Speak from heaven Lord and prove the sacrifice today. We ask it in Jesus name, amen.

What page is that Sister? Page 324.

*Congregation sings. "I Surrender All"*

Just sing it from your heart. Whatever it is, lay it at his feet! Can you sing it with all your heart? Yes, Lord! Sing it out.

See, that's what they do in the army. When you give up fighting, you throw your hands up in the air. Now you fight to hold on to this, you fight to hold onto that. You know you ought to give it up but you're fighting to hold onto it. Huh! You read in the bible where it says it's a shame for a woman to cut her hair. You ought to be a Christian but you're fighting that, trying to hold on to it. You know you ought to ware your dresses decent. Oh, God! How could a person turn down Jesus Christ for a little bit of hair, for a little shorter dress? To just live a few more moments to run down and drink a little whiskey? Or to go out and commit some kind of fornication with a

boy or girl? Turn down eternal life to live for eternity for just for that? Or a little smoke of a cigarette or a little bit of dope or a little bit this. And what do you get? An insane asylum. Threw off in a ditch an ole dirty filthy wore out sin and corruption. Oh, God!

Why can't we just want sing at the sound... we ought to fling our hands up in the air, I surrender Lord right now, I give it up Lord! God, I don't want to hold onto it. Lord, I give it up right now! Could we do that, just throw up both hands, with just all your heart! From your heart see.

*Congregation sings "I surrender All"*

That's it! That's it! I felt him just pass by! From your heart. Yes Lord, right now! How many feel better! Oh, praise him! Just surrendering it all to him.

What are we doing? Waiting for the coming of the Bridegroom. Waiting for the coming of the Bridegroom. Just to wrap that love of Gods Token around you and wrap in his love power and anointing Lord. Pull you right into his bosom, inside.

What is it? Like that little Ruth laying at the feet of Boaz. Hungering and thirsting for God Ruth was. And she come in at barley season, harvest time, it was night out. And she slipped in there at night time and laid down at his feet. Laid down at his feet. And what did Boaz do? He awoke and found little Ruth at his feet. Do you know what he done? He took his garment... Oh, Glory! And he wrapped it over her. He took his garment and wrapped it over her. Oh, glory!

Listen I'm getting ready to say something, this is fresh. I didn't know that, the Holy Spirit just quickened that to me.

And he laid that garment over her which is the type of the Token, see. The Promised of that Token! He said, "My dear lay here quietly until the night be passed away and the morning break. And I will come and do the work of a Kinsmen Redeemer." And when the morning breaks, Ruth rose up with sure assurance. Is that the way you feel?

Oh, let's sing that again now. "Jesus is the Sweetest Name I know"

Our great Kinsman Redeemer Jesus Christ the sweetest name. Do you love him with all your heart? (Amen) Surrender everything up to him when I go home. "I'm making that thing right or whatever it was, just laying it down Lord and I know your gonna give me a revelation."

*Congregation sings. "Jesus Is the Sweetest Name I know"*

Let's stand to our feet and rest ourselves now.

Yes Lord! Make love to him! Yes, Jesus is the sweetest name I know.

I just look down here at ole Brother Bill Malison my friend. How he walked the streets trying to find another wine bottle, dirty filthy nasty in sin. Living from one wine bottle to the next one. Borrowing from everybody to get to another bottle. One day he was walking up the street and he looked up to heaven and cried out, "Oh God I'm at the end of my road, can you help such a wretched sinner as me?" Down out of there he come down in his heart. Now he stands here by the grace of God. Tell me another name should be any sweeter to Bill Malison then the name of Jesus?

Oh, how I think where I was! (Brother Lambert weeps) Oh, that he could come down and cleansed me. Oh, how I love him with all my heart.

Oh, how I think we ought to be in love with the Lord Jesus Christ for saving our soul. When we look around and see people unsaved and don't know him. I'm so thankful I was buried in his name.

If there is a person here that's never been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Maybe you was baptized but was baptized wrong in titles "Father-son-and-holy-ghost" That's who he was as a father, he was the Son and he was the spirit but his name is Jesus. Repent every

one of you and be baptized in the, Name of the Lord Jesus Christ for the remission of sins. And ye shall be robed with the Token. If there is a one here that's never been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, as Gods servant I ask you, "Won't you come and surrender all and be baptized in his name."

Oh, the preachers they'll cast out devils in his name and they'll heal the sick in his name, they'll pray in his name but they won't Baptize in his name. There's something WRONG!

But he said, "Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ for the remission of those sins and ye shall receive the gift of the holy ghost. For the promise is unto you and to your children as many as far off and as many that are God shall call."

*Acts 2:38-39-Reference quote:*

*38 Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.*

*39 For the promise is unto you, and to your children, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord our God shall call.*

Is there a one here before we close that's never been Baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ? You say, "Brother Bob what can I do?" Just raise your hand and say, I'm gonna be baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus for the remission of my sins. I was baptized wrong and didn't know any better. But I hear the truth now and I want to be baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. Then you'll begin to bare a little reproach for the Lord.

You know people... There ain't much reproach to bare when you say I'm a Baptist. There ain't much reproach to bare when you say I'm a Methodist because you can still cut your hair and still wear makeup. You can still nip a little on the bottle, you know. There ain't much reproach. But when you start to line up with the word of God and be baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, right there you start a reproach. Bearing the reproach for the word of God.

But Jesus said, "If you bare the reproach of my name down here, I'm gonna stand before my father a wrathful God in that day. And I'm gonna say, "Father, she stood for me down on the earth. She got Baptized in my name, she quit cutting her hair, she's wearing a decent dress and she did the best she could. And know I'm standing for her father. You'll be glad then friend. Oh God! I'M SO GLAD THAT I OBEYED! Is there a one here under the sound of my voice, I charge you in the name of the Lord. if you've never been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ won't you accept him in water baptism today? Is there a one that's never been baptized, just raise your hand? If you surrender all, surrender that. Is there a one say, "Preacher I'm struggling to raise my hand but I want to be baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ" As we close, is there a one? As we sing this other song. I'll be looking for your hand, if not will be dismissed.

*Congregation sings, "Jesus is the sweetest name" Now in closing.*

*Congregation sings, "I love him"*

Why shouldn't we love him. Let's bow out heads. Friend I know another morning has gone by and the spirit didn't... The sealing angel... As sure as I stand here see, one day when you least expect it, one day when I'll be preaching, he'll walk right by and start sealing.

I seen in 1958, I saw myself standing preaching and that outpouring of the Holy Ghost come and starting sealing people. Now I see it in the word of God. Now here I am, without ever knowing it, I'm right up here in the east. Oh, I could tell you things but you're not able to bare them, see. But as sure as I stand here, there's gonna be a revival break out as sure as the world. If

you've ever done anything, prepare your vessels for the filling of the Holy Ghost. If your gonna put anything in your garden, you better quickly put it in there. Cause it's not gonna last much longer. You know that! God help us to press the battle.

Brother Bill Demoss, ask the benediction on the congregation and God bless you. Come to service praying tonight, won't you? We're expecting God to pour out his spirit. We thank the Lord for his lovely presence in our midst. I pray for the grace of Jesus Christ will be with you every one and that you will surrender all to him. Dismiss us brother in a word of prayer.

*Brother Bill Demoss prays, closing prayer.*

Take the name of Jesus with you.

Now if someone wants to come and knee and pray a little bit, come right ahead, it will be alright. Those that are leaving now, let's take that dismissal name with us, the name of Jesus. And when temptation around you gather just breathe that holy name in prayer. You turn on the radio, young boys and girls and that ole rock-in-roll beetle music comes on, remember they're everyone are going to hell, they're everyone going to a lake of fire. When that ole thing comes around you, just breathe that holy name in prayer. Say, "Jesus help me!" And turn the thing off. How many will do it? (Amen) When temptation surrounds you breathe the holy name in prayer.

*Congregation sings, closing dismissal song. "Take the name of Jesus with you"*

The End



## **The Kings Sword**

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